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Serita on the road to recovery

Injured bobsleigh athlete undergoes second operation

FORMER Thomas Hardye student Serita Shone is today recovering from her second spinal operation.

The 22-year-old suffered severe spinal injuries after a high-speed crash during her bobsleigh training on the Winterberg track in Germany.

It is hoped the sporting protégé will make a full recovery after she was able to stand following an initial four-hour operation.

Depending on the success of the second operation, which took place on Tuesday, November 1st, she will return to her Weymouth home in the next two weeks.

Serita is currently recovering in a German hospital ward bedecked with a union jack and a signed tracksuit - presents from her teammates.

The parents of the Great Britain bobsleigh team member have flown to Germany to be close to their daughter as she recovers.

She was rushed to an intensive care ward last week for the first operation on two damaged vertebrae after the bobsleigh she was in landed on top of her as she practiced for the British Championships.

It is still not known if Serita will compete at the top level of her chosen sport again.

Olympic Performance Director for the bobsleigh team, Gary Anderson, said the former heptathlete was coping surprisingly well.

Speaking ahead of Tuesday's second operation, he said: "This is one tough athlete. She is totally determined to get on the road to recovery.

"She has movement in her arms and legs, however, it is quite limited because she gets very tired.

"She's been standing up and been for a short ride in her wheelchair.

"She even texted me to check out the result of X-Factor this weekend."

Mr Anderson said he was unable to confirm Serita's future beyond the latest operation and that getting her back to full health was the top priority.

He added: "We cannot say if she will compete again, we just don't know.

"Her recovery is a long, slow process and we want to make sure we get it right.

"There's lots of little milestones to achieve before we can do anything, but we will ensure she gets the best possible help."

Serita had been chosen to join the team during a selection process in Latvia just days before the accident.

The Leeds Metropolitan University student will be finishing the dissertation for her MSc in sport and exercise nutrition during her recovery thanks to the generosity of her fellow athletes.

Serita will be given an i-Pad after the Netherlands bobsleigh team donated their £500 prize money from the weekend's British Bobsleigh Championships along with donations from the British team.

■ **SERITA SHONE was injured while training for the British bobsleigh team**

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60 SECOND INTERVIEW

AS Remembrance Day approaches, we speak to John Hunt, fondly known locally as "Army John", from Lyme Regis, who served 24 years under several cap badges and travelled the world during his Army career.

Originally from the Isle of Wight, John first visited Lyme Regis after reading about the town in a novel in 1988.

He now lives here permanently and is a member of several local organisations, including the Royal British Legion Lyme Regis Branch, for which he will take over the role of treasurer later this year.

WHEN did you join the Army?
I first joined the Army in 1984 when I left school, aged 18. I have given 24 years coloured service, as I left before briefly, and have served in several different regiments, including the Royal Chrous Signals, the Devon and Dorset Regiment which then became The Rifles.

WHY did you decide to join?
I wanted to do something exciting with my life. I wanted to leave home, see the world and do something challenging.

WHERE were you based?
I travelled all over the world. Some of the places I was based were Hong Kong, Germany, Northern Ireland, Berlize and Iraq.

WHERE was the best place you visited during your Army career?
Hong Kong was my favourite place. I was young and it was a great lifestyle with lots of different people.

WHY did you move to Lyme Regis?
I read about it in a novel, but not "The French Lieutenant's Woman"! I hadn't heard of that. Geoffrey Household wrote "Rogue Male" and it in the hero goes to Lyme Regis. The author described it so nicely so I came here in 1988. I came for one night really and have stayed here since!

WHAT do you like about living in the town?
Its insularity. Everyone knows everybody else and no one can have a secret here. If you have a problem you can share it, and people usually do.

The small things which are irrelevant elsewhere are important to everyone here, and they probably should be. I don't mind people talking or gossiping about me. It's better to be talked about than forgotten.

WHAT would you change if you could?
Nothing really. Maybe the attitudes of some people. For example, I think the Three Cups Hotel has stayed closed for over 20 years because of the attitudes of some people who don't want it to be anything else, and certainly not because of Palmers.

WHY did you join the Royal British Legion?
The army gave me a great life. I've seen a lot of my mates injured or killed and I respect the old who responded to the call of duty and sacrificed themselves in hideous wars. They did this on our behalf and I think I should be doing something on their behalf.

As old soldiers fade away, so their needs become more important, and the need for the Legion to keep going and funds to be raised never slackens.

WHAT are your other personal interests?
I'm goundsman at Uplyme and Lyme Regis Cricket Club, a member of St Michael's Parish Church choir and of Lyme Regis Operatic Society. I also enjoy walking, watching football and going to the pub!

WHERE is your ideal holiday destination?
My ideal holiday destination would be a cruise down the South Atlantic to visit all our remaining tiny posession there.

WHAT would you do if you won the Lottery?
I suppose we could finish paying for the new church organ and repair the clock tower. But I have to point out that I haven't, so please donate generously!

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Cash stolen in pub thefts

POLICE are appealing for witnesses and anyone with information to come forward after two burglaries at public houses in the Dorchester area.

The first incident occurred sometime overnight between Thursday, October 20th and Friday, October 21st at the Black Dog public house on Main Street in Broadmayne.

A quantity of cash, from both the bar area and the staff storage area, was stolen during the burglary.

This included up to £350 taken from a Christmas club fund in the bar, which local residents had contributed to.

The second incident happened at the Coach and Horses public house in Winterborne Abbas, in the early hours of Wednesday, October 26th.

Again, a quantity of cash was stolen during this burglary.

Inspector Les Fry, of Dorchester Police, said: "I'd urge anyone with any information about either of these incidents to contact me.

"The theft of the Christmas club fund at the Black Dog pub is a real blow to the local residents who had been saving up for their Christmas festivities.

"It appears at this stage that the incidents are linked, but we are keeping an open mind and I need to hear from anyone with information about either incident.

"I'd also urge home and business owners to remain vigilant and report any suspicious activity to police."

Witnesses and anyone with information should call Dorset Police in confidence on 101 quoting incident number 21:095. Alternatively, call the free and anonymous Crimestoppers line on 0800 555 111 where mobile phone tariffs may apply.

Pupils attend national awards ceremony

THE Prince of Wales School pupils with teacher Gary Spracklen at the National Teaching Awards

THREE pupils from The Prince of Wales First School, Dorchester travelled to London at the weekend to attend the Pearson National Teaching Awards.

The pupils' work on a short film project had been selected by a panel of distinguished educators as a finalist in the prestigious National Teaching Awards, 'Film My School' competition.

On the night the pupils narrowly lost out to the Lewis School Pengan, a secondary school in South Wales - despite this, they fully enjoyed their experience.

Teacher Gary Spracklen who worked with the pupils to create the film said: "For three pupils aged eight to nine to be finalist in a National competition which was open to all ages of students is a phenominal achievement.

"The pupils video encapsulated the powerful learning that takes places in our school and we are all very proud of what they have achieve."

The pupils, Lauren Crane, Beatha Dalgleish and Annabel Stevens enjoyed the experience and can't wait to get started on next year's entry.

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Downton Abbey star joins CLA 'Can't Get Online' campaign

RURAL champions, the Country, Land & Business Association, have launched a campaign designed to highlight the problems of rural areas still struggling to access broadband, and have the backing of a top television celebrity who also suffers the same problem.

The CLA's campaign 'Can't Get Online' is a counterbalance to the Government's week-long promotion running this week (from October 30th until November 6th) encouraging people to get online.

The association's aim is to ensure that every rural business and household can access a broadband connection of at least five megabits per second.

The problem, according to CLA experts, is that a fifth of rural England still cannot access even modest broadband speeds.

The campaign has already won the backing of *Downton Abbey* star, Hugh Bonneville, who plays the Earl of Grantham in ITV1's popular period drama.

Hugh lives in a village just 40 miles outside London but he says the broadband connection is "pretty pathetic" and wants infrastructure companies to give the countryside a chance.

He said: "I'd love to run aspects of my work from home; I'd love to sign up for services that stream content but the connection's just too unreliable. Some days I can't even send an email and there doesn't seem to be much I can do about it."

The week-long 'Can't Get Online' roadshow, which is sponsored by the CLA, will see IT and social media expert, John Popham, touring rural communities across England to highlight the difficulties they face in getting online.

He will be encouraging people with inadequate or non-existent broadband to find a friend with a broadband connection and sign the CLA petition calling for a minimum universal service commitment of five megabytes.

CLA South West director, John Mortimer, said: "In today's world it is just not acceptable that broadband providers can choose to ignore rural areas.

"The Government wants us to fill in tax returns online because it's more cost-effective and schools expect children to do homework online.

"This is only possible if homes and businesses have access to superfast broadband - internet service providers must be persuaded to bring broadband 'not-spots' up to speed rather than making the already fast even faster."

People can sign the CLA petition at www.cla.org.uk/Policy_Work/ Petitions

Anybody who cannot access the petition can call the CLA regional office and leave their details to be added to the petition. The CLA in the South West can be contacted on 01249 700200.

■ ACTOR Hugh Bonneville has joined the CLA's campaign for better broadband in rural areas

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Road casualties continue to fall thanks to road campaign

The number of people killed or seriously injured on Dorset's roads has dropped by 18 per cent since the 'no excuse' countywide project was launched. This reduction was found when comparing data from the latest 18 month period to the 18 month period before the 'no excuse' campaign was launched in Dorset in January 2010.

In addition, the number of offences processed by the Dorset Road Safe 'no excuse' project team has fallen by eight per cent so far this year when compared to the same period in 2010 – despite the same level of enforcement resources being used.

Seatbelt offences have continued to drop and now comprise 22 per cent of tickets issued by traffic officers – down from 35 per cent in the same period in 2010.

Brian Austin, 'no excuse' Project Manager, said: "Although we are pleased with the increase in drivers wearing their seatbelts, it is important that we do not become complacent.

"There have been collisions in Dorset where those choosing not to wear a seatbelt have suffered life changing injuries and we must continue with our goal to change the mindset of those willing to take these risks.

"It is extremely disappointing to note that the percentage of drivers putting themselves and other road users at risk by using their mobile phone while driving remains unchanged at 16 per cent of tickets issued in September.

"Dorset Road Safe partners are committed to identifying motorists using their mobile phones and I'd ask the careful drivers and pedestrians of Dorset to continue to report those that are putting others at risk."

A total of 11 motorists received a ticket for driving whilst distracted and 22 drivers were caught driving without valid insurance or MOT in September.

Brian Austin continued: "Where possible, Dorset Police and its partners in Dorset Road Safe continue to offer valuable education course options instead of penalty points and fines or court appearances.

"Attendees on the courses continue to praise the content and delivery by the Advanced Driving Instructors.

"By using the excellent local intelligence of our Safer Neighbourhood Teams combined with more Surround a Town operations and continued overt and covert daily enforcement, we will continue to educate the bad and careless drivers using Dorset's roads.

"With the approaching winter weather we want to encourage safer motoring across Dorset to reduce the risk of injury or death.

"The 'no excuse' project is now in its second year of operations and it has already increased its presence across the county.

"However, we will expand this further by running operations in conjunction with partners in Safer Neighbourhood Teams. In fact, recent operations have already taken place in Sherborne, Wareham and Dorchester."

Nothernhay road closure

NORTHERNHAY in Dorchester will be closed between 9.30am and 4.30pm Monday to Friday following the start of work to replace the retaining wall began on Monday, October 31st.

This phase will comprise the section of the wall from opposite the entrance to Loders car park to The Grove.

The work is scheduled to take 18 weeks to complete.

Due to the nature of the work and the limited carriageway width, a road closure will be required to carry out the works safely.

At the end of the working day and at weekends Northernhay will be re-opened to traffic in one direction only from The Grove eastward to Glyde Path Road.

A diversion route will be signed using The Grove, Colliton Park and Glyde Path Road.

It will also be necessary to temporarily suspend the parking bays along Northernhay for the majority of the works.

The county council has agreed that residents holding permits to park in Northernhay and Glyde Path Road may park on The Grove and School Lane during this time.

Two-way access will be available at all times to Caters Place from Glyde Path Road.

Out of working hours (before 9.30am and after 4.30pm), the entrance to Loders private car park on Northernhay can be accessed from The Grove and Glyde Path Road.

During working hours (9.30am to 4.30pm) access will only be available from Glyde Path Road.

On leaving Loders car park, all vehicles must turn left onto Glyde Path Road and follow the diversion route.

Charity Christmas cards on sale now

CHARITY Christmas cards are on sale now at West Dorset District Council run tourist information centres on behalf of Cards for Good Causes.

Cards for Good Causes sell charity Christmas cards on behalf of more than 25 national UK charities, including Cancer Research UK, RNLI and SSAFA Forces Help as well as local charities such as the Weldmar Hospicecare Trust.

WDDC Chairman Gillian Summers said: "We are delighted to support such a great cause again this year.

"Shoppers visiting the main towns can buy quality Christmas cards and also support some fantastic local and national charities."

The cards are available at tourist information centres in Dorchester, Bridport and Sherborne.

If you have a story for View From Dorchester email Anita Harries on harries-anita@hotmail.co.uk

Volunteers honoured at Poppy Appeal launch

VALERIE Pitt-Rivers, Lord Lieutenant of Dorset, with 40 years service award winner Margaret Clarke

LORD Lieutenant of Dorset, Mrs Valerie Pitt-Rivers, and Appeal Co-ordinator, Graham Rhys-Jones, launch this year's appeal

by Anita Harries

VOLUNTEER collectors for Dorchester's annual Poppy Appeal have been presented with awards honouring their many years dedication supporting the charity collection.

Watched by the Mayor of Dorchester, Councillor Tess James, and her Consort Roland Tarr, the Lord Lieutenant of Dorset, Valerie Pitt-Rivers, presented awards to those who have collected for many years during the launch of the 2011 Poppy Appeal for the Royal British Legion.

Awards were presented to volunteers who have given five, ten, 15 and 40 years service to the cause.

Presenting the awards and launching the appeal, Mrs Pitt-Rivers said: "I am indeed very honoured to launch this year's Poppy Appeal. These are quite remarkable figures we have heard here today, not just in the amounts collected but in the years of service given by the volunteers.

"Support for our service personnel is needed now as much as ever, and the 150 volunteers you have in Dorchester work together as a tremendous team.

"Poppies mean so much to so many people, a reminder of those who have made the ultimate sacrifice and a show of appreciation for our Armed Services.

"Volunteers are the backbone of our society, and it gives me great pleasure to present awards to just a few of these marvellous people."

Following the ceremony, the Mayor of Dorchester said: "It is very important we remember the enormous sacrifice and commitment made by our service personnel, especially those who have lost their lives or been badly injured whilst serving their country.

"But as well as supporting our service men and women, the British Legion want peace, and as a Quaker I think we need to remember peace is a process we all need to work for, so the occasion for war is reduced."

The Royal British Legion was formed on 15th May 1921. Its aim was, and still is, to help serving and ex-service personnel and their families, not just those who fought in the two World Wars, but also those involved in the many conflicts since 1945 and those still fighting today.

It provides practical care, advice and support to Armed Forces personnel, ex-service men and women of all ages, and their families. And the very first official British Legion Poppy Day was held on 11th November 1921, inspired by the poem In Flanders Fields, written by John McCrae.

This year marks the 90th anniversary of both the Royal British Legion and the Poppy Appeal.

It serves not only to remember those who have made the ultimate sacrifice, but also the undying support it gives to those suffering both terrible mental and physical injuries.

More than nine million people worldwide are eligible for membership of, and support from, the Royal British Legion.

This support extends to all the auxiliary services who have served in the field of conflict, and the welfare section alone spends one and a half million pounds a week on just such support.

The Poppy Appeal is the Royal British Legion's largest source of income. Last year it raised the staggering sum of £36million.

The bar for 2011 has been set at £40million.

Graham Rhys-Jones, co-ordinator for the Poppy Appeal in Dorchester and the Winterbornes, said: "Our challenge for this year is to better the sum raised in 2010 - £25,750.

"We are reliant on our volunteers to help generate this income, some of whom will be recognised here today.

"We are indebted to organisations such as the Royal Naval Association, who take on one whole day of street collections. And volunteers from Poundbury, under the leadership of Michael Greenfield, have proved very fruitful over the past five years."

The following people were recognised at the launch of the Poppy Appeal, although not all were present to receive their awards. One of the most remarkable was Margaret Clarke, a volunteer with 40 years service.

Five Years Service: John King, Jill King, Graham Rhys-Jones, Josephine Kay-Smith, Keith Mullen, Janet Mullen, Vivienne Allan and Michael Greenfield.

Ten Years Service: Ann Dean, Roy Dean, Dennis Matthews, Robert Clothier and Derek Beauchamp.

Fifteen Years Award: Naomi Cooper.

Forty Years Service: Margaret Clarke

Council to mark Armistice Day

STAFF and councillors at West Dorset District Council will be honouring the armed forces on Armistice Day.

A two-minute silence will be held at WDDC on November 11th to remember those who have died or been injured in the service of Great Britain.

The council will also be encouraging staff to wear a poppy as part of The Royal British Legion's Poppy Appeal.

Gillian Summers, Chairman of West Dorset District Council, said: "Our armed forces have made and continue to make tremendous sacrifices serving their country.

"It is very important that we remember them and I am proud that the district council will be encouraging people to mark the silence and support the Poppy Appeal."

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Planting a carpet of colour for spring

COWDEN Care Farm gives adults with low to medium level learning disabilities real hands-on work experience.

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by Anita Harries

One of the projects they are currently working on is planting bulbs at Dorchester West Station, preparing the way for a carpet of colour in the spring.

Friends of the Dorchester West Station, Wally Gundry, Sue Blake, Barry Tempest, and Geoff Mowlem, joined with adult service users from Cowden Care Farm to plant the many donated tulip and daffodil bulbs, all helping to improve the station and give visitors to the town a warm welcome as they alight from the train.

Chairman of the Friends, Wally Gundry, said: "The people from Cowden Care Farm are very much a part of our community, and should be given every opportunity to become actively involved.

"I would love to see them here more often, helping to keep the station clean, maybe do some more planting and help with tasks such as weeding.

"And to ensure this involvement continues, we are supplying seeds to Cowden Care Farm which they are going to plant and provide us with flowers and plants to further enhance the station next year.

"Dave Martin, station manager for First Great Western fully supports this project, and has offered to help in any way he can.

"And as well as improving the whole aspect of Dorchester West Station, one of our main objectives is to involve the whole community more in doing things both in and for the town."

The first bulb planting session was held in brilliant sunshine, went extremely well, and was enjoyed by all who took part.

Siobhan Davis from Cowden Care Farm said: "It is so wonderful to be out in the community, getting our members involved in projects such as this. It makes them feel valued, as well as the social aspect of meeting people and working together as a team.

"This is a great experience for them and one we very much hope will continue."

FRIENDS of Dorchester West Station, and Cowden Care Farm prepare for planting

PLANTING bulbs under the watchful eye of Sue Blake

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After a bad experience with her first website designer, the owner of Pygmalion Florist came to Digibug, (www.digibug.co.uk) where she was overwhelmed by the flexibility and capability of the small team.

"I got exactly the look and feel that I wanted for my website," said Sarah. The site, launched in May this year, includes ecommerce capability which allows customers to order bouquets online.

It is also linked to the florist's Facebook page, where her customers can get up-to-date information about workshops she's running, and exchange comments and opinions. Sarah also makes use of LinkedIn and Twitter, further promoting her business through social media.

Working with Digibug restored Sarah's faith in website designers. Talking of Digibug Director Paul Weeks, she said: "Paul's very approachable, patient and accommodating. He goes out of his way to help."

The Pygmalion Florist website is built using a content management system, allowing Sarah to add new products and pages as she needs them. This lets her grow her site as she grows her business.

You can see the site for yourself at: www.pygmalionflorist.co.uk

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Frightening fun for friendship club

A FEARSOME crowd gather around Oliver Letwin, trustee Jenny Shackleford, and Laura Kerr

SOME of the members dressed up for Halloween

THE Junction Hotel in Dorchester was the venue for an evening of spooktacular fun as the Friendship Club held their Halloween celebrations in style, with Oliver Letwin MP popping in to say hello and meet organisers, trustees, volunteers, and club members.

Hard-working Laura Kerr, without whom there would be no Friendship Club, was delighted Mr Letwin found time in his busy schedule to go along and meet everybody.

Food, and fun on the dance floor, was the order of the evening, with monstrous music and deadly dancing keeping everyone on their toes.

Some incredible costumes appeared as if by magic. Witches, ghouls, cats, and even the Grim Reaper were very much in evidence amongst the cobwebs, spiders, skeletons, and ghostly beings that hung from every available space.

by Anita Harries

The Friendship Club know how to party, and staff at the Junction Hotel made them very welcome. Even a costumeless Alistair Chisholm drifted in to haunt the proceedings.

The Friendship Club now has almost 600 adults with a learning disability who attend events in the community.

It is occasions such as this that help them integrate into their community with the help of volunteers, going a long way to tackling problems such as rural and social isolation.

It helps them socialise, make new friends, and form relationships, feel safer when out in the community. and lead more fulfilling lives.

The concerns of these adults have been taken on board, many finding it increasingly hard to organise meeting peer group friends socially and safely in their community.

The club has helped transform lives as members have more readily been able to make friends and develop social skills, boosting their confidence and creating a better quality of life.

The Halloween Party is just one of the many events they enjoy throughout the year. They visit nightclubs, pubs, cinemas, the theatre, cafes, sporting events and festivals, as well as having the opportunity to take part in wellbeing workshops, local history, dance and arts based workshops.

The Friendship Club is always looking for new members.

Anyone with a learning disability will be made very welcome, so if you know of anyone who may benefit from becoming a member and joining in the fun please contact Laura on 07970 240555.

Part of People First Dorset, it is well run, well staffed, and has done a great deal to promote the integration of adults with learning disabilities into the community.

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Little monsters enjoy fundraising film party

YOUNGSTERS enjoy the magic show

DANCING to the music of the Krazy Kids

by Anita Harries

MONSTER fun came to the Corn Exchange in Dorchester as Dorchester Moose presented a "Monsters Inc" Children's film party to raise funds for Julia's House, Dorset's only children's hospice.

Princesses, witches, cats, and a whole variety of monsters filled the hall with fun, frolics, and a great deal of noise and laughter as many of the children appeared in fancy dress to enjoy an afternoon of first class entertainment.

Krazy Kev set the wheels in motion with a show of magical mayhem before the children settled down to watch Monsters Inc.

Face painting produced a wealth of tigers, butterflies, and some very scary zombies, a children's tombola saw a variety of furry creatures snatched up by some equally furry kids, whilst a continuous supply of drinks ensured energy supplies were kept at full power.

Possibly two of the most energetic children's performers on the planet, Krazy Kids, danced, sang, clapped, and careered around the room at a rate of knots, a whole army of children in their wake and even the parents couldn't escape.

There was nowhere to hide as they were gently persuaded to join in the singing and dancing, and were even given some sweets as a reward if they behaved.

These guys worked up a real sweat, and the kids loved them.

The afternoon ended with the judging of the fancy dress competition, a task which fell to the Krazy Kids.

First prize went to a rather delightful witch, with vouchers including £20 for yummy Cupcakes by Louise, a £5 Phoenix Trading Voucher for mum, and a cuddly Sully straight out of the film. But no-one was a loser, with everybody receiving sweets and stickers for all their efforts.

And everyone went home with a goodie bag courtesy of Dorchester Moose. More than £280 was raised for Julia's House.

WINNER of the fancy dress competition with Debbie Smith of Dorchester Moose

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Bluebird Care Opens Weymouth Office

BLUEBIRD Care, the UK's leading provider of care at home, has opened a new office in Lynch Lane, Weymouth.

Bluebird Care Weymouth & West Dorset provide bespoke packages of care in the home to older people or adults with a physical disability in the Weymouth & Portland, West Dorset and Purbeck areas.

Bluebird Care offers everything from personal care to shopping, cleaning or social visits. Bluebird Care works with their customers to form a package of care that enables them to stay within the comfort of their own homes. With visit times ranging from 15 minutes right up to 24-hour live-in care their packages are flexible enough to ensure that each customer receives exactly the care that they require. Staff are caring, police checked and are available to provide care visits within the community.

The Weymouth and West Dorset office is owned and run by the partnership of Joanne McMahon and Chris Scriven who decided to launch their business out of an overriding desire to improve the lives of vulnerable people within the local community. As local people, Joanne and Chris were critically aware of the need for a quality care at home provider to open its doors in the area in order to promote choice for those in need of care.

Director, Chris Scriven, said: "We are delighted to be bringing Bluebird Care's quality care at home provision to the Weymouth area. Research has identified that older people would prefer to remain in their own homes and Bluebird Care provides a flexible and affordable alternative to residential care. Our care manager, Debbie Collinson, has worked hard to assemble a team of dedicated and committed care workers who are anxious to make a real difference to our customers' lives."

Co-Director, Joanne McMahon, said: "At Bluebird Care we are true believers in the value of independence. For us, care at home is about doing things with our customers and not just doing things for them. We aim to attend to every detail to ensure that our customers live their lives as fully as possible."

Bluebird Care are always looking for dedicated carers to join their growing team, if you would like to have a rewarding career and enable people to live life to the full then please contact Debbie Collinson on 01305 230770.

The Bluebird Care Weymouth and West Dorset management team. From left to right: Director- Chris Scriven, Director- Joanne McMahon and Care Manager-Debbie Collinson.

Celebrating Dorset's living memories one last time

by Anita Harries

AFTER two years Age Concern Dorchester's amazing on-line project, Dorset's Living Memories, has come to an end.

Over 400 stories have been collected, touching the lives of more than 1,000 older people, reviving memories, stimulating conversation and creating the most incredible record of life as it was across the county.

The project has produced an on-line archive of stories, memories, and reminiscences of the people who spent their childhood, working life, and even their retirement, in Dorset. It was all made possible through two Silver Surfer Grants and a Dorset POPP Community Win Award, and focussed on the living memories of folk from the rural county of Dorset from the beginning of the 20th century right up to the present day.

The archive has been illustrated with never before seen photographs of the county, its people, and the entire fabric of a past society.

It created an opportunity for ordinary people to tell their personal stories in their own words, and allowed those who no longer live in Dorset to join in and make this a truly outstanding record of the recent social history of Dorset, written not by the historians but by those who lived and worked within its boundaries.

Dorset's Living Memories Roadshow visited 51 residential homes, day centres, sheltered housing complexes, clubs, and town and village communities, gathering memories, listening to stories, and sharing photographs.

Contributors, volunteers, and supporters were invited to celebrate the success of the project at a spoecial afternoon held at Rowan Cottage.

Accompanied by some nostalgic music, there was a slideshow of many of the photographs from the project, and a chance to hear some of the stories collected from across the county.

Entertaining it certainly was, with everything from orange knitted swimming costumes to newspaper squares used as toilet paper and the blessing of the plough at the beginning of every farming year.

One contributor, Sandra Banks, who was a child evacuee in Dorset during the Second World War, came all the way from her home in Swansea to join in the celebrations.

Opening the afternoon's festivities, Age Concern Trustee and project contributor, Adrian Downton, said: "What a wonderful project this has been. Memories are free, they cost nothing and nobody can take them away from you.

"So many fantastic people have done so many fantastic things, and they are all here for everyone to see and become a part of."

PROJECT co-ordinator Margaret Wellspring with Michael and Sandra Banks from Swansea

Joyce Ray and Peggy Voss, two of the main contributors to the project

Margaret Wellspring, co-ordinator for the project, took the opportunity to finally say a big goodbye to both the project and Age Concern, and was thanked for all her hard work by Hilary Foggo who presented her with a card from all her colleagues.

Margaret said: "When we started we had no idea how successful this project would become.

"To gather all the information, our staff and volunteers put on a series of roadshows in residential homes, day centres, and social clubs, telling them all about the project, giving them ideas of what we were looking for and how they could become involved.

"This stimulated older people to reminisce about the old times, share their precious family photographs, and have a jolly good time. Not only did we hold 51 of these roadshows, we engaged these older people in the wonders of modern technology.

"This is a great achievement for a small charity, as our website has reached the far ends of the earth, enquiries about our stories coming from Australia and New Zealand, which in itself is worth celebrating."

As a spin off from this project, a calendar of Dorset's Living Memories was produced and sold more than 200 copies.

A singalong, cup of tea and homemade cake brought the afternoon to an end.

The archive is hosted on Age Concern Dorchester's website, www.ac-dorchester.org/memories

Empowerment fayre success

MEMBERS of the Wallisdown Day Service - Sue, Chev and Duncan

by Anita Harries

DOTCOMUNITY held an "All Inclusive Empowerment Fayre" at the Corn Exchange in Dorchester, bringing a whole host of organisations under one roof to showcase all that is available out there for people of all ages with learning or physical disabilities.

DotComUnity is a not-for-profit social enterprise providing a one stop resource for finding out about community services, care information, and social interactivity for adults and children with a learning or physical disability within their local community.

And there were certainly plenty of organisations on hand with a wealth of help and advice covering every aspect of life.

Diverse Abilities Plus is an independent organisation that works with families to help meet the needs of local people of all ages with physical and learning disabilities, ensuring that those who use their services receive a lifetime of opportunities and support.

Several other organisations come under their umbrella, some of whom were present at the fayre. Coping with Chaos gives the whole family the chance to have fun together. They support families with disabled children by offering play opportunity sessions every weekday of the school holidays, to which siblings are welcome to attend.

They run a youth club for disabled young people between the ages of 13 - 19, supported by their non-disabled peers, both paid staff and volunteers.

They also run a parent befriending network to support parents and carers of disabled children, and provide information, signposting, and monthly coffee mornings and drop ins.

Disbility Wessex offers assistance with disability benefits, not just for those with disabilities, but those with chronic and acute health conditions, families and carers, and parents of disabled children.

Many organisations have so much to offer, as was demonstrated by the countless stands at the Fayre.

Smart Living provide a range of products designed to give people the freedom to live the life they want as independently as possible - at home or when out and about.

Others included Careability, Scope Response, All Inclusive Disability Consultants, the Care Division, Dimensions, and Stepping Stones.

Stepping Stones is for people of 16 or over who live in Dorset (not Poole or Bournemouth) who have a disability or mental health condition. They help them access work preparation courses, work based projects, vocational training, voluntary work, and part time paid employment.

There were also representatives on hand from the Jubilee Sailing Trust, the Friendship Club, Refresh Respite Holidays, Dorset County Council Vocational Services, Cowden Care Farm, the South West Dorset Talking Newspapers for the Blind, and the Wallisdown Day Service.

The Wallisdown Kitchen Project came along with some wonderful refreshments, including rolls, beef pasties, sausage rolls and donuts.

For those looking for a workshop to take part in, 15 Days in Clay offered an insight into their projects (for more information about upcoming workshops visit www.15daysinclay.co.uk) whilst Doodle Art had everyone making witches hats.

Curious Arts run excellent drama workshops for both adults and children with learning disabilities, helping increase confidence and motivation, creating a great deal of fun, and putting on some marvellous shows.

More information on all of the above organisations can be found by visiting www.dotcommunity.co.uk

JANNA Edwards with some of the amazing clocks created by participants in 15 Days of Clay

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Further details available from Sue Leighton 01305 215320 or www.weld-hospice.org.uk/wine-tasting.

Poetry evening

PALESTINIAN American performance poet Remi Kanazi will be visiting Dorchester where he will be performing poems from his latest collection.

Remi is a poet and writer, based in New York city, and author of 'Poetic Injustice: Writings on Resistance and Palestine' and editor of 'Poets for Palestine.'

The event has been organised by the Dorset Palestinian Israeli Peace Group.

Based in Dorchester, the group are committed to raising awareness locally - through talks, films and other events - about the situation in Palestine and Israel, and to working together towards a just and peaceful resolution of the conflict.

Lorna Low, Dorchester resident and co-founder of the group, said: "The aim of the evening is to give people the opportunity to see and hear another perspective, to see the world through different eyes, and art – particularly performance poetry – is a very powerful way of enabling people to do that."

The poetry evening will take place on November, Friday 18th at 7.30pm at the Corn Exchange. Admission on the door is £4.

For more information contact: dorset.palestine@gmail.com.

Birds are a 'big draw' for museum

by Anita Harries

LAUNCHED as a one day event in 2000, the Big Draw is now an annual month-long festival of more than 1,000 events across the United Kingdom.

Throughout October, museums, galleries, libraries, heritage sites, schools and parks take part, inviting people of all ages to discover how drawing can connect them with their surroundings and the wider community.

The Dorset County Museum in Dorchester included the Big Draw as one of its half-term activities, using one of their latest exhibitions - "Cranborne: Art in the Shadow of the Chase" - as its theme.

Those taking part were encouraged to base their drawings on the wildlife of Cranborne Chase, along with some of the many objects found there.

A barn owl, buzzard, fox, and giant pike, part of the museum's vast collection of stuffed animals, were set out for both adults and children to draw, with still life objects such as glass bottles available for that added extra if so required.

Heavy rain outside made the wonderful setting of the Cranborne exhibition for the Big Draw a real option for a couple of hours indoors in the dry, and some very impressive pictures were created.

"Cranborne: Art in the Shadow of the Chase" focuses on a number of artists who have been inspired by Cranborne Chase and its hinterland, an area of more than 300 square miles now designated an area of outstanding natural beauty.

The paintings, drawings, sculpture, and other artwork contained in this exhibition have come from many sources and date from the 1920s to the present day.

Artists featured include John Craxton, Lucian Freud, and John Hubbard, sculptor Elisabeth Frink, potters Richard Batterham and Chris Carter, plus other artists working with glass and textiles.

This is a sales exhibition, running until 21st January 2012, and a selection of the works are for sale to the public.

This is yet another stunning exhibition, and with the Big Draw held within its confines, was a guiding influence on those taking part, surrounded by images of perhaps one of the most beautiful areas of the Dorset countryside.

HATTIE and Jo meet the buzzard and the barn owl

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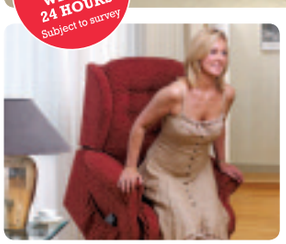

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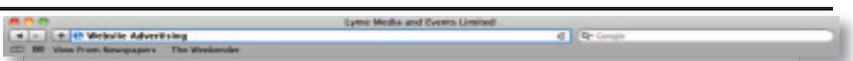

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DURING NOVEMBER each year, Movember is responsible for the sprouting of moustaches on thousands of men's faces in the UK and around the world. The aim of which is to raise vital funds and awareness for men's health, specifically prostate cancer and other cancers that affect men.

On November 1st, guys register at Movember.com with a clean-shaven face and then for the rest of the month, these selfless and generous men, known as Mo Bros, groom, trim and wax their way into the annals of fine moustachery. Supported by the women in their lives, Mo Sistas, Movember Mo Bros raise funds by seeking out sponsorship for their Mo-growing efforts.

Mo Bros effectively become walking, talking billboards for the 30 days of November and through their actions and words raise awareness by prompting private and public conversation around the often ignored issue of men's health.

At the end of the month, Mo Bros and Mo Sistas celebrate their gallantry and valor by either throwing their own Movember party or attending one of the infamous Gala Partés held around the world by Movember, for Movember.

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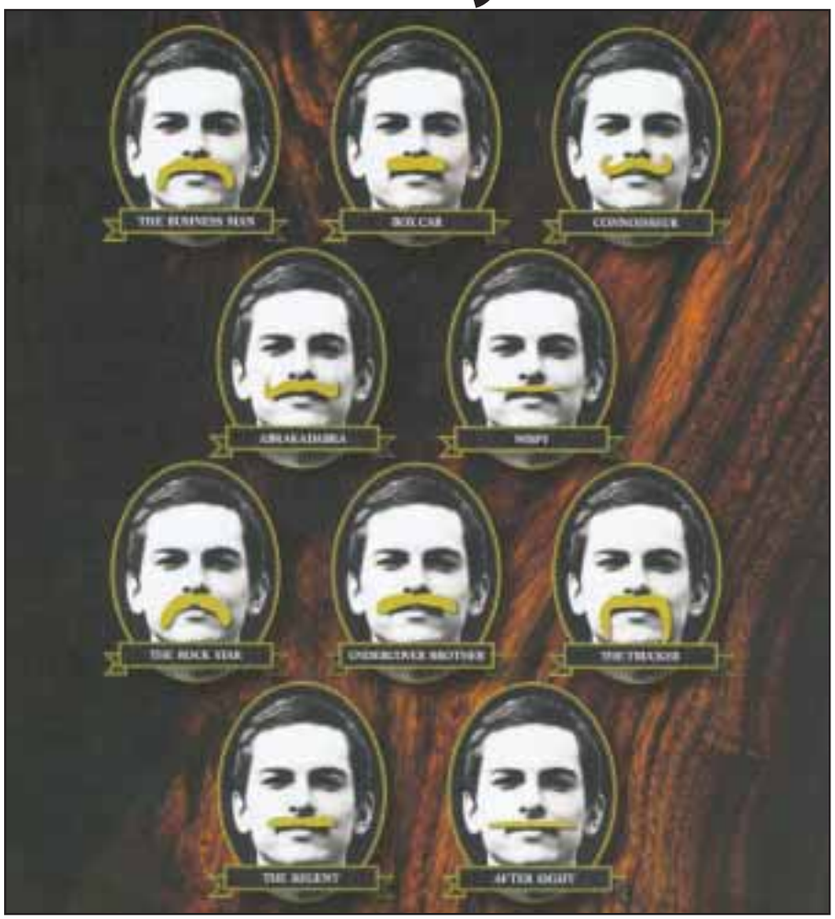

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Movember (the month formerly known as November) is a moustache growing charity event held during November each year that raises funds and awareness for prostate cancer. Visit www.movember.com for full details.

GENERAL RULES FOR MO GROWING

These rules are for all Mo Bros to abide. Breaking of these rules consitutes disqualification from official entry and judging for the 'Man or Movember' at the Mo Party.

1. Once registered at movember.com, each Mo Bro must begin with a clean shaven face.
2. Then, for the entire month of Movember each Mo Bro must grow and groom a moustache.
3. There is no joining a the sideburns, this is a beard.
4. There is no joining of the handlebars to your chin, this is a goatee.
5. Each Mo Bro must conduct himself like that of a true gentlemen.

HOW TO GROW A MOUSTACHE

1. Ask yourself the question, who do you want to be? For every style of moustache there is a different personality. You will be become that man, you will be treated like that man and you will act like that man. Make sure you know who he is.
2. Be brave. The first few days, even weeks can be uncomfortable and a little awkward as your face goodness grows and your Mo takes shape. Focus on the end game.
3. Ignore the itching. Remind yourself that other men have endured far worse in the past; surely you can stand a little face tickle from your Mo.
4. Start to shape your moustache using proper grooming techniques. A great Mo comes down to grooming.

HOW TO GROOM YOUR MOUSTACHE

1. Shampoo regularly. As becoming as they are, moustaches collect thing and no matter how fine the food, it doesn't belong in your Mo.
2. Moustache hair is coarse and benefites from regular conditioning. Massage your Mo with a dollop of conditioner then rinse thoroughly. It will make it softer to touch to both you and your intimate friends.
3. Use hot face washer to steam and cleanse the skin under your moustache that can suffer form drying and itching. For the modern gentleman, out of sight does not mean out of mind.

NOTABLE GENTLEMEN WITH MOUSTACHES

1. Tom Selleck.
2. Frank Zappa.
3. Lionel Richie.
4. Freddy Mercury.
5. Salvador Dali.
6. Albert Einstein.
7. Charlie Chaplin.
8. Burt Reynolds.
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Celebrating Dorchester's cultural diversity

High Sheriff of Dorset, Alan Frost, with Anne-Marie Vincent, organisers and volunteers of Black History Month in the Corn Exchange

by Anita Harries

BLACK History Month is an annual celebration of black history and cultural heritage across America and the UK.

It serves to promote the study and remembrance of positive black contributions to society throughout history, educate people about our diverse society, and bring people of all backgrounds together to celebrate and appreciate all aspects of black history.

Since the first formally organised occasion on October 1st 1987, Black History Month has grown and grown, now consisting of more than 4,000 events across the country.

As part of these celebrations, the South West Dorset Multi Cultural Network organised a free family evening of poetry, dance and live music, with some delicious Caribean food from Tony's Cafe, all highlighting cultural diversity in the Dorset community.

This unique event was supported by Magna Housing Association, West Dorset District Council, NHS Dorset and the NHS Foundation Trust, and chairman of the Network, Anne Marie Vincent, thanked them for their invaluable contribution in her opening remarks.

She also read a statement from Vaughan Gething, a member of the National Assembly of Wales who was unable to attend but pledged his support for such a worthwhile cause.

Vaughan was chair of the Right to Vote from 1999 - 2001, a cross party project with the aim of encouraging greater participation from black minority ethnic communities in Welsh public life.

Black History Month was attended by Alan Frost, the High Sheriff of Dorset, Director of Magna Housing David Aldwinckle, West Dorset District Councillor Janet Page, and Kate Hindson, Director of Communities for West Dorset and Weymouth and Portland Borough Council.

There were displays and information boards from Weymouth College, Fairtrade, the Thomas Fowell Buxton Society, the Purple Teardrop Campaign, and the South West Multi Cultural Network.

Schools in the area had been invited to enter a creative art and writing competition, with entries also on display.

Emma Scott of West Dorset District Council said: "The theme of this year's competition was based on exploring our links to the wider world and welcoming visitors from around the globe as we move towards the 2012 Olympics.

"We are looking to find as many opportunities as possible for the winners work to be displayed and shared over the next ten months."

Entertainment during the evening was wide and varied. There was an interesting talk on Thomas Fowell Buxton, one of Weymouth's more illustrious MPs. Following on from William Wilberforce, he achieved the abolition of slavery throughout the British Empire in 1833, also working for changes in prison conditions and criminal law.

Bristol poet and storyteller Edson Burton recited some of his own work, the stunning Zubida Movements gave a display of dance, and there was the opportunity to get up and Zumba with Ally.

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Gregg Kofi Brown and the Osibisa Collective took to the stage to bring the evening to a close. Gregg has been a member of the world class African pioneers Osibisa for more than 22 years, and has travelled the world promoting the music of Ghana.

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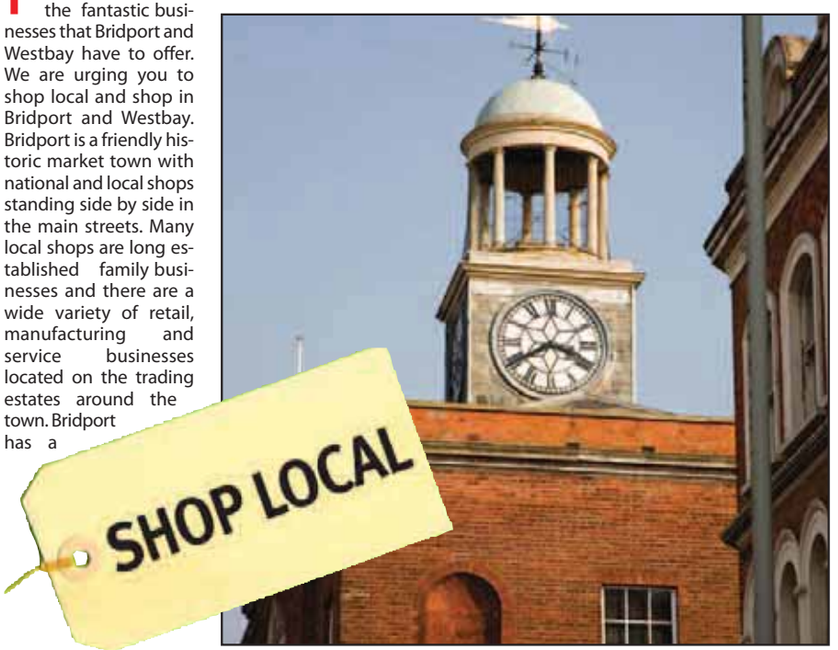

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It may be obvious but if you are having a sit down meal, make sure that your neckline is not so low that anyone standing behind you can see all the way down. If you are unsure, a little camisole top underneath your dress can save any embarrassment.

Even if you know the dress code has been described as 'casual', this still does not mean jeans and trainers. It is always worth asking a couple of your work colleagues who always dress well in the office what sort of outfit they will be wearing. This can give you an idea how smart you need to be.

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CHRISTMAS PARTY MENU 2011

Prices 2 Courses £ 18.95 - 3 courses £22.95

STARTERS
Roasted Red Pepper Soup with Parmesan Croutons
Dorset Coarse Game Pate with onion marmalade and toast
Warm Salad of pan fried Pigeon Breast
Smoked Salmon and Prawn Mousse served on a bed of leaves

MAIN COURSE
Traditional Roast Turkey with all the festive trimmings
Rare Roast Beef served with Yorkshire Pudding and Roast Potatoes
Venison Casserole in a Brandy and Orange Sauce served with Buttery Mash
Pan Fried Sea Bass Fillets served with Crayfish Tails, Capers and baby Potatoes
Roasted Mediterranean vegetable and Three Cheese Strudel with Salad and Baby Potatoes

DESSERTS
Christmas Pudding served with Brandy Sauce
Grand Marnier and Chocolate Roulade
Apple and Mincemeat Crumble with Custard, cream or ice Cream
Selection of Cheese and Biscuits

Coffee and Mince pies

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY
Sunday Quiz Nights with
Chris Deacon commencing 8.15pm
October 30th • November 20th
December 18th • January 15th

Sunday 1st January 2012
Welcome the Symondsbury Mummers
8.30pm

Christmas Day Menu 2011

The Five Bells Inn, Whitchurch Canonicorum. Bridport, Dorset. DT6 6RH Tel: 01297 489262

Sparkling Wine or Fruit Juice on Arrival

Smoked Salmon Canapes & Guacamole
Melon Balls with Stem Ginger Syrup
Game Soup - Clear Soup of Pheasant, Rabbit & Venison in Red Wine

Roast Turkey, Pigs in Blankets, Yorkshires & Stuffing with Cranberry Sauce
Roast Sirloin of Beef, Yorkshires & Horseradish Sauce
Half Butternut Squash with Red Onion, Celery & Capsicum Risotto
Cooked in Vegetable stock with Lemon Grass
All Served with Fresh Seasonal Vegetables

Christmas Pudding & Brandy Sauce
Sherry Trifle & Double Cream
Winter Fruit Crumble & Custard

Cheese Board

Coffee & Mints

A Slice of Pat's Christmas Cake to Take Home

Indicates suitable for Vegans, Vegetarians and those with a Wheat Allergy

4 Course £48.00, Half Portion £25.00 • 3 Course £40.50, Half Portion £22.00
2 Course £32.50, Half Portion £17.00 • 2 Course Small Child Portion with Bite Size Cut pieces & Plain Ice Cream £12.00

Pre-Christmas Day menu options include:

Seasonal Cold Buffets £5/head
2 Course Christmas menu £12.50 • 3 Course Christmas menu £16.00
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Available Lunchtimes and Evenings

2 Courses £12.85pp - 3 Courses £15.85

TO START

Thai Prawns with Sweet Chilli Dip
(Thai Marinated Prawns in a light tempura batter)
or
Goats Cheese and sun blushed Tomato Tart
(An individual pastry tart filled with a creamy goat's cheese, vegetable filling, topped with sun blushed tomatoes)
or
Chef's Soup of the Day
or
Crisp Rocket and Stilton Citrus Salad
(A Bed of fresh rocket topped with crumbled stilton cheese, toasted walnuts and finished with a seasonal citrus dressing)

MAIN COURSE

Roast Silverside of Beef
(With homemade Yorkshire pudding, horseradish and Chef's vegetables and roast potatoes)
or
Roast Dorset Turkey
(With all the traditional trimmings, Chef's vegetables and Roast Potatoes)
or
Oriental Fillet of Salmon
(Fresh salmon fillet marinated in soy sauce, Chinese five spice and honey with crisp Chinese vegetables, rice or potatoes)
or
Homemade Vegetable Balti
(with rice, poppadum and mango chutney)

DESSERTS

Traditional Christmas Pudding
(with Brandy Sauce)
or
Grand Marnier and Chocolate Roulade
(Meringue Roulade with Grand Marnier cream and rich chocolate
or
Mixed Cheese Board
(with a selection of cheese biscuits)

Christmas Day

£45.00 per person

£22.50 per child under 12 years
Baby Bowl Free. Deposit of £15pp secures booking, advance payment in full required

Homemade Seasonal Root Vegetable Soup
(with fresh Bread Roll)
or
Portland Crab and Prawn Cocktail
(Traditional Prawn Cocktail with the addition of fresh local crab)
or
Duck and Cherry Pate
(Fine duck pate with golden thyme and black cherries with freshly toasted bread)

FROM THE CARVERY

Roast Silverside of Beef
Roast Dorset Turkey
Homemade Nut Roast
(If you require a Nut Roast please state at the time of ordering)
All served with traditional trimmings, seasonal vegetables and roast potatoes

Traditional Christmas Pudding
(with homemade brandy sauce, cream or ice-cream)
or
Lemon Meringue Ice Cream Cheesecake
(A biscuit base topped with a creamy Italian Lemon Ice-cream, mouth watering lemon sauce and a soft meringue and finished with crunch zest meringue pieces)
or
Selection of Mixed British Cheeses
(with Cheese Biscuits)

Christmas Parties Start Here

Special Offer Mix 'n' Match -2 for 1

2 x 16 oz T-Bone Steak - Peas, tomato, choice of potatoes.....**£19.50**
2 x 8oz Rump Steak - Peas, tomato, choice of potatoes.....**£13.85**
2 x Scampi - Peas, tomato, choice of potatoes.....**£12.85**
2 x Spaghetti Bolognaise - Crusty Bread.....**£10.85**
2 x Macaroni Cheese - crusty bread.....**£10.85**
2 x Cottage Pie - Chef's vegetables.....**£10.85**
2 x Haddock - Peas, tomato, choice of potatoes.....**£12.50**

PLEASE NOTE *This is a special offer only valid when two people are ordering, you can mix 'n' match, but you pay for the dearer of the two. Great value to suit everyone's taste. Not in conjunction with any other menu*

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Christmas Menu at the Elm Tree

2 Courses £23.95 3 Courses £29.95

Starters

Cullen Skink - A creamy smoked haddock and potato soup garnished with chives
Homemade game pate with a red onion and juniper chutney served with melba toast
Homemade roasted red pepper soup topped with a melted cheddar cheese crouton
West Bay dived scallop, prawn and Portland crab salad served with lemon mayonnaise
Fresh salmon fillets with a herb crust, pan fried and served with a homemade honey, mustard and dill sauce

Main Course

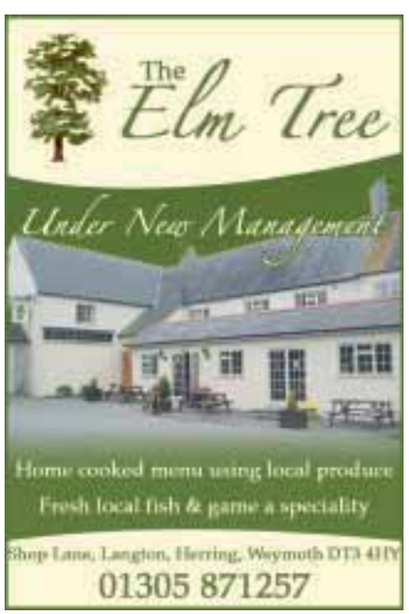
Roast rib of Abbotsbury Longhorn beef
Roast Turkey with a chestnut and apricot stuffing and cranberry sauce
Honey roast ham glazed with cloves and pineapple
Home made nut roast
Sea bass fillets with a red pepper coulis

All served with the traditional trimmings, roast potatoes and seasonal vegetables

Desserts

Christmas pudding with brandy butter
Homemade chocolate and rum mousse
Pears poached in spiced red wine
Trio of Christmas desserts
Brandy snap basket with stem ginger ice cream
Tia Maria creme brulee
Mini Pavlova with a berry compote and whipped cream
Selection of local cheeses served with crackers, apple, celery and homemade pickle

Coffee and homemade chocolate truffles



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Christmas Carvery Lunches £19.95 per person

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Winter Vegetable Soup
A thick warming soup enriched with double cream
Or
Chilled Fruit Juice
Choice of apple, orange, tomato or grapefruit

Boneless Crown of Turkey
Served with sausage and bacon rolls, bread sauce and cranberry sauce
Or
Roast Forerib of Beef
Thickly sliced prime rib accompanied by thyme scented Yorkshire puddings and horse-radish sauce
Or
Poached Boneless Fillet of Salmon
Masked with a prawn and crayfish butter cream sauce
Or
Mediterranean Vegetable Mille Feuille
Crisp savoury puff pastry layered with Mediterranean vegetables Bound in a sun dried tomato and basil infused sauce

Rich Plum Pudding
Served with a hot rum cream
Or
Chocolate Profiteroles
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Hand cut chunky chips £2.95

Starters

Chefs soup of the day £4.95
Made daily in our kitchen, Served with a freshly baked roll.

Hot goats cheese tartlet £ 5.95
Litton Cheney goat's cheese, caramelised onions and cherry tomatoes, baked in a crumbly, all butter short crust tartlet, served with mixed Dorset leaves and a balsamic glaze.

Dorset pate £5.95
Ask staff for today's Pate. Served with hot, multi-grain toast and Dorset real-ale chutney.

Crevettes 'à la plancha' £5.95
Crevettes, cooked on the griddle, served with a garlic butter dressing, mixed local leaves & freshly baked rustic bread.

Main Courses

Roasted Mediterranean vegetable tagliatelle £9.95
With warm black olive ciabatta bread

Stuffed chicken breast £12.95 *
Local Dorchester Chicken breast, stuffed with a selection of wild mushrooms, wrapped in Smoky bacon on a bed of creamy leeks, served with a peppery butternut squash mash.

Pork tenderloin medallions £13.95 *
Local Pork medallions, pan fried in a sweet, honey, mustard and calvados sauce with flambéed apples,

Duck breast £13.95 *
A breast of local Dorchester duck, with a rich red wine & port jus and a creamy parsnip puree

Fillet steak £14.95 *
Locally reared premier beef, full of natural flavour. Served with asparagus and mushrooms. With a choice of the following sauces: Creamy mushroom sauce, Local Blue Vinney cheese sauce or Creamy Pepper sauce.

If * all mains come with steamed, organic seasonal vegetables and the potatoes of the day

Lobster and crab tagliatelle £12.95
Local Portland Lobster and Crab, tossed with tagliatelle pasta in a white wine, cream and garlic sauce. Served with warm black olive ciabatta bread.

Portland scallops £9.95
Plump Portland Scallops, pan friend with Italian Pancetta, in a cream sauce, served with mixed Dorset leaves and a Black Olive ciabatta bread.

Hot shellfish platter
PER PERSON: £24.95 or SHARING FOR TWO: £39.95
A medley of Poole Mussels and Clams, cooked in a garlic & white wine cream sauce, Portland Scallops pan fried in garlic butter, Crevettes cooked à La Plancha, grilled Green Lipped Mussels & 1/2 shell Clams, Portland Crab, Oysters, a Portland Lobster tail and freshly baked rustic bread.

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Due to winter weather conditions shellfish may vary.

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Or

Pate De Foie Gras (not French version)
With quince jelly & toast

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Champagne Sorbet

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mains

Chateau briand Steak
with wild forest mushrooms, truffle shavings, butternut squash mash and a cognac & Madeira sauce

Or

Cassoulet
A classic northern French hot pot with duck, lamb & sausage.

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Desserts

Flambeed apples in cognac
wrapped in a crepe with Cointreau ice cream

Or

Cognac Truffle Torte
with vanilla pod ice cream and a brandy biscuit

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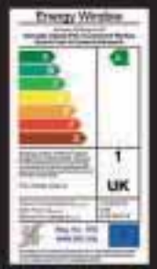

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Chris Rudge Renewable Power Systems

CHRIS Rudge Renewable Power have expanded their range of green generation products to keep up with the ever increasing demands of their customers. As well as keeping REC, Sanyo, Kyocera and Suntech Solar PV modules as current stock at the Seaton warehouse, they have now obtained MCS approval for Small Wind Turbines (up to25kW) and Solar Thermal, offering expert site surveys and design

New lower Solar PV installation costs for 2011 have proved to be popular, especially as this is last year the Feed in Tariff (FiT) will be at the current higher rate. From next April, the FiT will be going down for new installations. Anyone having an installation this year will benefit from the current index linked payment for the next 24 years.

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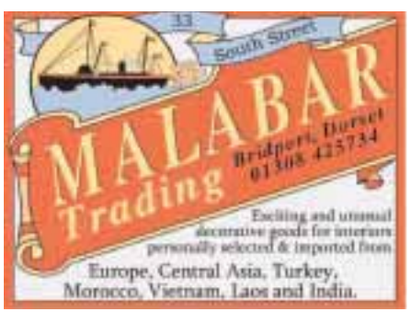
▲ Blue and white Japanese bowls

Most recent deliveries include wonderful goods from Turkey: absorbent, stylish and practical Turkish towels, soft leather slippers and brass spice grinders as well as new designs in suzani cushions. Just arrived from India are blue and white handwoven cotton dhurries in different designs and sizes.

There is also a new selection of hand block printed tablecloths, bedspreads, quilts, dressing gowns, finely woven woollen scarves and shawls. Pique quilts and vintage gudri quilts are expected very soon.

In preparation for the festive season we are expecting the arrival of artisan crafted ceramic cooking and serving dishes from France and inlaid wooden frames from Italy. We have extended our range of notebooks to include brightly coloured practical diaries from Italy and maintain an excellent selection of the ever popular classic blue and white Japanese bowls.



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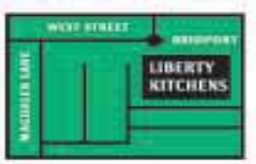

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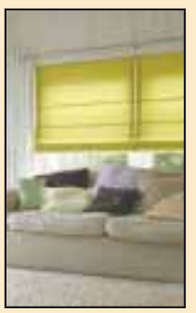

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▲ Alan Seviour MD of Ace Energy

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With continuing low interest rates, many people who rely on their savings and investments to top up their income have continued to be disappointed with returns. Deposit based savings such as bank and building society accounts and cash ISA's offer a guarantee that your capital amount does not decrease but at what risk? What will the buying power of that money be and is your money devaluing every day that it remains there?

The most important consideration when looking and savings or investments of any kind is diversification, not having all your eggs in one basket and not only avoid holding all you monies in one account but also ensuring that you have a range of assets within your portfolio to ensure exposure to different areas as well as an element of stability though assets with underlying guarantees which can be achieved in a number of ways. The banks are under increasing pressure to make profits , so now more than ever is the time to ensure that you get advice based on what's best for you.

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The team at Yard make your shopping experience easy and uniquely personal. If you want to simply browse you will find it relaxed and unintrusive, or if you want an honest opinion they are on hand to guide you into the best fashion choices. You can even benefit from a wonderful personal shopping experience where Vicki or one of her team will style you in the clothes that suit you best.

New for this season, an exclusive footwear area which features the label J Shoes. As well as fabulous clothing and shoes, you will find a gorgeous range of accessories including jewellery, belts and beautiful Italian leather bags from French company Nat and Nin. Also available at Yard is a range of home accessories and gifts that make it a true lifestyle experience.

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What a perfect time for Spring cleaning!

The nights are drawing in and the temperature is dropping, now that the clocks have gone back what better time to have a spring clean to make your home a cozy hideaway in the midst of the cold November air?

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WISE Owl Toys is family-run by David and Lesley James. It is an independent toyshop which places customer service and expert knowledge as their main priority. They seek to offer different, inspiring and fun toys and games that also have an educational bias.

Last year this Dorchester shop won the UK award for their window display of Schleich products and are currently showing the Heroes range for this year's competition.

The Playmobil selection includes the new Secret Agents and Holiday Fun ranges whilst Sylvanian Families have loads of new ideas for you to add to your collection.

Craft and Scientific based toys continue to be very popular with all ages and there are a wide selection to choose from this Christmas.

David and Lesley look forward to welcoming children, parents and grandparents to their wonderful shop in Hardye Arcade, Dorchester, to view the wide range on display.

▲ Owners David and Lesley James

Children's feet matter!

County shoes is an independent and family run business that has been established for well over 15 years and in this time the shop has gone from strength to strength, moving with the times and stocking more and more brands. We are so proud of our shop and the service we provide and also the local people, which have supported us over the years with their continual custom.

We have secured many regular customers that return to us frequently because of the efficient and friendly service that we provide.

Our team of nine staff are experienced and will always go that extra mile to ensure that every customer is left happy and satisfied. We also have a team of trained, experienced ladies that can measure and fit children's Start-Rite shoes in store.

Our product range is growing all the time and we have recently taken on a range of Ariat outdoor and equestrian footwear, which is proving popular even at this early stage. Our other brands include, Timberland, Gabor, Loake, Ecco, Josef Seibel, Rhode, HB, Barker, Poetic Liscence, Pickolinos, Caprice and VanDal.

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View 2 Music

Folk icon Julie Felix comes to Bridport

FOLK icon ***Julie Felix*** will perform at Bridport's Electric Palace on Friday, December 2nd. With her striking looks and with the phenomenal energy that she exudes on stage it's hard to believe that Julie was born in 1939.

Julie left her home in California in the early 60s, hitch-hiking throughout Europe with just a duffle bag and her guitar. After living on a Greek island where she met and performed with another newcomer by the name of Leonard Cohen, Julie arrived in England in 1964. Within a few months she became the first solo folk artist to be signed to a major British record company when Decca released her first album, *Julie Felix*, and a single, *Someday Soon*. That same year Julie appeared on The Eamonn Andrews TV show, and was asked back the following week by popular demand.

In 1965 she headlined the Royal Albert Hall, becoming the first British-based folk singer to fill London's top venue, prompting *The Times* to declare her "Britain's first lady of folk" In 1966 Julie became the resident singer on the amazingly popular TV show The Frost Report, quickly becoming a household name.

Brian Epstein, The Beatles manager, booked Julie in 1967 to top the bill with Georgie Fame for a two week engagement at London's Saville Theatre, supported by a newcomer named Cat Stevens. In 1968 she was given her own TV series - the first colour series produced by the BBC. Guests included Leonard Cohen, Jimmy Page, Donovan, Dusty Springfield, Spike Milligan and Richard Harris. Her late 1960s recordings included Going to the Zoo, a collection of children's songs on Fontana Records.

In 1970 her series was moved from BBC2 to BBC1, and Julie was signed by hit-maker Mickie Most, becoming the first artist to have a hit on the RAK label with her version of Paul Simon's If Could '(El Condor Pasa). In 1974 Julie signed with the EMI label and recorded the album Lightning, touring Japan, Australia and New Zealand. In the late 70's she moved to Norway where the title track of her 1976 album Hot Chocolata went to number one in the singles chart.

During her long career Julie Felix has sung out for many causes. She has visited the Middle East as a humanitarian ambassador for Christian Aid, urged New Zealanders not to engage in conscription at a concert during the Vietnam War, campaigned for Latin American refugees, founded Guitars Against Landmines, and marched against the Iraq War in London.

In 2008 Julie celebrated her 70th birthday playing a sold out gig at Gateshead's Sage Theatre. The following year Julie sold out the prestigious Cork Folk Festival, along with every other date on her Irish tour. In 2011 Julie returned to play The Isle Of Wight Festival her performance was every bit as dynamic as her appearance 42 years earlier at the 1969 Isle Of Wight Festival

After nearly half a century of making phenomenal music nothing's changed, she's still brimming with energy on stage and off, with her performances exuding the pure joy of music. The show starts at 8pm, with doors opening at 7pm. Tickets for Julie's show at the Electric Palace are available from Bridport Music (01308) 425707 or Bridport TIC (01308) 424901, or online from www.stompinstore.com as Stompin' Dave has organised this event. Dave is performing at the Electric Palace on Wednesday 16th November with Appalachian Roots from North Carolina, USA.

FOLK ICON | Julie Felix comes to the Electric Palace

A night of shimmying and sparkle from the Arabian nights

JUNO bellydancers are presenting their third annual show at Weymouth College's Drama Theatre on Saturday, November 19th.

The show, called 'A Medley of Middle Eastern Dance', features the local dance troupe plus a number of dancers from across the South and South West.

Michelle Moss, Juno teacher said: "We've had a very busy summer supporting fetes, festivals and charities. We hope that people who enjoyed our performances will come along to our show. This year we are raising money for Exeter House Special School in Salisbury. There is a little boy that we know, who goes to this school. We have performed at his birthday party and he enjoys the movement and sound of our dances."

She continues: "The evening will be fun, with lots of different styles of Arabic dance from some of our favourite dancers."

Tickets are £8 for adults and £5 for children and are available from Sproston & Bowden Opticians, High West St Dorchester and So'n'Sews, 24 Westham Rd, Weymouth. For more details or to order tickets visit www.junobellydance.co.uk.

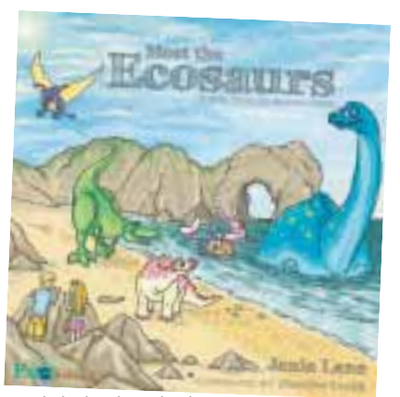
There will also be workshops during the morning in the dance studio at Weymouth College.

Library launch for Jurassic Coast dino book!

Local author to sign copies of illustrated children's story

MEET THE ECOSAURS, a new illustrated children's book by local author Janis Lane, launches this Saturday, November 5th, from 10am-12pm at Lyme Regis Library.

Janis will be signing copies of the book, available at the special launch price of £5 for the event. In addition, children will have the opportunity to take part in and take home a 'create your own timeline' activity, with community art teacher Alison Bowskill.



Meet the Ecosaurs is a beautifully realised story, which introduces local Jurassic Coast dinosaurs and other creatures. Written by Lyme resident Janis Lane with charming illustrations by Somerset-based Jennifer Crabb, the book uses historically accurate information as a backdrop for a fantastic storyline, which will thrill, fascinate and educate children in equal measure.

Endorsed by the Jurassic Coast World Heritage Team, the book follows brother and sister James and Tabitha as they meet a group of ecologically minded Jurassic Coast creatures that have travelled through time and space to help their homeland.

In addition to the story, the book features Fact Files, a Make Your Own Timeline activity, and a recipe for a Jurassic Coast Layer Cake (created with input from celebrated chef and food writer Mark Hix) – representing the geological layers revealed along the cliffs of the Jurassic Coast.

"This is a welcome addition to help children learn about why the Jurassic Coast is special. The scientific and geological facts are accurate and this lends a strong learning focus as well as a literacy element," says Dr AK Ford, Jurassic Coast Education Coordinator.

Mark Hix on the Jurassic Coast Layer Cake recipe: "This is a fantastic cake that you can have lots of fun with at home with the kids. It's a great festive cake for all celebration and has that creative educational touch to it. Have fun!"

LISTEN TO THIS!

ENCORE Theatre has decided to offer a different kind of entertainment as a one-off, prior to their major production next Spring.

A feast of sketches and monologues for the audience to enjoy in a convivial atmosphere of wine and nibbles, this comic and occasionally thought-provoking collection by Michael Frayn will be portrayed by a host of familiar faces, including John Surry, Hilary Bosworth, Jenny Wiles, Steve Scorey, Louisa Hardy, Andrea Thomas, Keith Himsworth, Miles Bell, John Duff, Ellen Denning, John Pownall, Murdoch MacTaggart, Sandra Brown, John Haylock, Viv Ironside, Sue Arthur and Barry Irvine.

During the evening's not-to-be-missed entertainment, Miles Bell will be whisking us away to Fandangia in "Head to Head"; Jenny Wiles will be baring her soul at "Confessions"; John Duff within spitting distance of "A Pleasure Shared"; Steve Scorey in the pyschiatrist's chair in "Blots"; and Viv Ironside giving us "Value for Money"

The production is jointly directed by Miles Bell, John Haylock, Viv Ironside and Barry Irvine, at the Bridport Arts Centre on November 9th, 10th and 11th, with performances at 7.30 pm.

Tickets are available from the Box Office on 01308 424204 £10 to include a glass of wine or a soft drink.

Tickets are half-price for under 16s and students. There are limited seats available so get your tickets now!

John Duff and Ellen Denning in rehearsal

Poetry for Pleasure

by Frank McGarry

THIS poem was written by Mary Voice, a girl from the State of Victoria in Australia, who was visiting Lyme Regis in September.

JURASSIC LYME

Go find a fossil, find an ammonite
Go find one filled with pyrites, we might
Go find it glinting after rain, now sun
Just right for amateurs to chance on one.

Go walk the coastline, see those shaly cliffs
Imagine slippage, by the tonnage down
Go see the Jurassic layers, shapes and rifts
See why the fascination and renown.

Go find a fossil see children's faces shine
When Paul the guide in fossil hunting gear
Cracks limestone slabs to see what might appear
A brief suspense as steel on lime align.

Go find a fossil. Wow! And there it is
A creamy yellow spiral cradled in the grey
The wonder on the faces of those kids
Fossil hunting is the highlight of the day.

Chidiock Tichborne was only in his twenties in 1586 when he was executed in the Tower of London for plotting to kill Queen Elizabeth. The day before his death he sent this poem in a letter to his wife, Agnes.

ELEGY

My prime of youth is but a frost of cares,
My feast of joy is but a dish of pain,
My crop of corn is but a field of tares,
And all my good is but vain hope of gain;
The day is past, and yet I saw no sun,
And now I live, and now my life is done.

My tale was heard and yet it was not told,
My fruit is fallen and yet my leaves are green,
My youth is spent and yet I am not old,
I saw the world and yet I was not seen;
My thread is cut and yet it is not spun,
And now I live, and now my life is done.

I sought my death and found it in my womb,
I looked for life and saw it was a shade,
I trod the earth and knew it was my tomb,
And now I die, and now I was but made:
My glass is full, and now my glass is run,
And now I live, and now my life is done.

Another man who wrote a poem just before his death was the war poet William Noel Hodgson, who served in the Devonshire Regiment and was awarded the Military Cross. He was killed in 1916 on the first day of the Battle of the Somme. Two days before he died he wrote this.

BEFORE ACTION

By all the glories of the day,
And the cool evening's benison,
By that last sunset touch that lay,
Upon the hills when day was done,
By beauty lavishly outpoured,
And blessings carelessly received,
By all the days that I have lived,
Make me a soldier, Lord.

By all of man's hopes and fears,
And all the wonders poets sing,
The laughter of unclouded years,
And every sad and lovely thing;
By the romantic ages stored
With high endeavour that was his,
By all his mad catastrophes
Make me a man, O Lord.

I, that on my unfamiliar hill
Saw with uncomprehending eyes
A hundred of thy sunsets spill
Their fresh and sanguine sacrifice,
Ere the sun swings his noonday sword
Must say good-bye to all of this;-
By all delights that I shall miss,
Help me to die, O Lord.

● If you have a short poem of your own that you would like to share with our readers please send it to: Poetry for Pleasure, Lyme Media & Events Ltd, St Michael's Business Centre, Lyme Regis, Dorset, DT7 3QF. Or e-mail it to us at: pemedia@pemedia.co.uk

KINGSTON MAURWARD ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CRAFT AND GOURMET FOOD SHOW

The perfect place to start your Christmas shopping and a fun day out for the whole family

THE ever popular Christmas Craft and Gourmet Food Show takes place at Kingston Maurward near Dorchester on Saturday, November 12th and Sunday 13th.

The show took on a new dimension three years ago with the addition of the Gourmet Food Hall, which proved to be a real crowd pleaser with customers able to taste and purchase the wonderful variety of locally produced gourmet foods.

This year organisers are delighted to be reintroducing demonstrations in the Show Cookery Theatre where well known local chefs will be entertaining you throughout the weekend with their wonderful, mouth watering, signature dishes. Chefs include Luke Stuart from the White Pepper Cookery School, Lee Moreton from Dorset Charcauterie, Luciano De Silva from The Blue Fish Restaurant on Portland, Taher Jibet from the newly opened Dining Room in Weymouth and Ashley Perry, Head Chef at Weymouth College Cygnets Restaurant and catering department. All the demonstrations on Sunday afternoon include the chance to win a meal for two, charcauterie produces and other prizes. All the demonstrations are being sponsored by Bella Kitchens. (For more information visit their website www.bella-kitchensdorset.co.uk or telephone 01305 761700.)

As usual there is a wonderful selection of high quality crafts ideal for that special individual Christmas present - from candles to cosmetics, pottery to pictures; bags to books; toys to trails; jumpers to jewellery and glassware to glitz - there really is something for everyone.

Visit Father Christmas in his Grotto - all proceeds from this room go to the nominated charity this year which is the Lifeline Express, Impact India. This train visits rural areas in India giving life changing operations to adults and children offering free operations to those who cannot afford medical treatment or who live too far from medical facilities. For more information visit their website www.impactindia.org

There is so much to see and do; why not come early and stay all day. Browse the wonderful stands in the morning, watch a cookery demonstration or two; enjoy lunch in the café area or from the large selection of foods available, and wash it down with a glass of wine or a pint of Piddle Beer, then more shopping….

Show Cookery Theatre Demonstration Timetable

Saturday
12noon: Luciano De Silva, *The Blue Fish*
2.00pm: Luke Stewart, *White Pepper Cookery School*
2.45pm: Lee Moreton, *The Purbeck Larder*

Sunday
12noon: Tahir Jibet, *The Dining Room*
2.30pm: Ashley Perry, *Head of Caterting, Weymouth College*
3.30pm: Lee Moreton, *The Purbeck Larder*

THE DANCER AND THE DEVIL

'Welcome to the Lounge Limbo…you are neither here nor there…happy hour is between midnight and midnight…our hostesses will see to your every need…the doors are locked now…and they will not open again…so…relax…take a seat…and let the show begin."

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Meet Cupcakes our Murderous Master Baker, Minue who'll be whoever you want her to be, Ruby the jewel that fell from the crown, Celeste who'll dance the maps of your heart, Jacob; Mysterious Master of Ceremony and Laverna who'll get the fire blazing.

With writing and text written for The Dancer and The Devil by Anna Maria Murphy (Kneehigh Theatre; Red Shoes, Trystan and Yseult, National Theatre and BBC Radio 4) and resplendent live music by Julian Gaskell (Julian Gaskell and the Ragged Trousered Philanthropists).

Rogue Theatre are delighted to have received development funding for The Dancer and the Devil from The Lowry, Salford and Prema Arts Centre, Uley. We would like to thank BAC for supporting the original scratch performance of the show in May 2010 and give special thanks to Gordon Scott and Porl Cooper for their ongoing passion and support!

The Dancer and The Devil comes to the Marine Theatre tomorrow (Thursday, November 3rd) at 7.30pm. Tickets cost £10 - a TheatreFriends discount is available - and are availble from the box office on 01297 442138 or online at www.marinetheatre.com

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Stars Justin Timberlake, Olivia Wilde and Johnny Galecki.

MACHINE GUN PREACHER [15]

BASED on the true story of Sam Childers (Gerard Butler), a former drug-dealing biker tough guy who found God and became a crusader for hundreds of Sudanese children who've been forced to become soldiers.
Also stars Michella Monaghan, Kathy Baker and Michael Shannon.

TOWER HEIST [12A]

WHEN a group of hard working guys find out they've fallen victim to a wealthy business man's Ponzi scheme, they conspire to rob his high-rise residence.
Ben Stiller, Eddie Murphy and Matthew Broderick star in this hilarious crime caper.

JACK GOES BOATING [15]

JACK (Philip Seymour Hoffman) is a shy and awkward man who drives a limo and lives an unassuming life. His friend and co-worker, Clyde (John Ortiz), and his wife Lucy, feel sorry for Jack and set him up on a blind date with Connie (Amy Ryan). Connie shares Jack's shyness and awkwardness, but through each other they seem to be able to find solace within themselves. Trouble might be brewing in paradise though, as Clyde and Lucy's marriage stumbles just as Jack and Connie's relationship grows.

STRAW DOGS [18]

JAMES Marsden stars as David Sumner in this adapted remake of the brutal 1971 film of the same name.

L.A. screenwriter Sumner relocates with his wife Amy (Kate Bosworth) to her hometown in the deep South. There, while tensions build between them, a brewing conflict with locals becomes a threat to them both.

CINEMA LISTINGS

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Johnny English Reborn [PG]
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Paranormal Activity [15]
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The Adventures of Tintin [PG]
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Sun: 12.30, 15.00, 17.30
Tue, Wed: 15.00, 17.30
The Lion King [U]
Sat & Sun: 13.00
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Daily: 14.40, 16.50, 19.00, 21.10
Plus Sat & Sun: 12.30
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Sat & Sun: 11.40, 13.50, 16.00
The Adventures of Tin Tin: Secret of the Unicorn *in 2D* [PG]
Daily: 15.00, 17.30
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Fri, Mon-Thu: 15.00, 20.00
Sat & Sun: 20.00
Contagion [12A]
Daily: 18.20, 20.50
Johnny English Reborn [PG]
Fri, Mon-Thu: 15.40, 18.00, 20.20
Sat & Sun: 11.00, 13.20, 15.40, 18.00, 20.20
Mr Popper's Penguins [PG]
Sat: 10.00am
Rio *in 2D* [U]
Sat: 10.20am
Alpha and Omega *in 2D* [U]
Sat: 10.10am

THE ROYAL MARINES ARE IN TOWN

THE Band of the Royal Marines Association is coming to Bridport's Electric Palace this Christmas. It's the band's first visit to the town. A spokesman for the band said, "After performing in large venues throughout the UK it will be a nice change to play the Electric Palace with its intimate atmosphere and retro décor, we are looking forward to performing our Christmas Spectacular."

The Concert will embrace a whole spectrum of music played by 50 world class musicians, who bring over 1800 years of musical experience to this unique event with a range of music to suit all tastes from popular marches to big band, theatre and film music, and your best known Christmas music. The Band is under the direction of Capt David Cole RM a former Director of Music of the Royal Yacht Band, his outstanding drive and panache has brought the band into the forefront of concert music in Europe, a spokesman for the theatre said, "We have managed quite a coup getting such a famous band to perform for the people of Bridport so make a date in your diary for Sunday, December 11th at 3.00pm"

The Band of the Royal Marines Association

Bridport Christmas Festival

IF you've not yet booked a stall for the great evening of Christmas shopping, entertainment, Santa and food on Wednesday, December 7th, contact the Festival co-ordinator Frances Pearsall on (01308) 425298.

Fitness activities for all at Osprey Leisure

FOR readers in the area, Osprey Leisure Centre has plenty of sessions available to suit everyone with a new programme of activities including circuits, fitball, core and rehab classes. There are also 'Sport for All' sessions where any adult can swim, use the gym (subject to undertaking an induction) and play squash and/or badminton for a set fee of only £3.30.

For these fitness and Sport for All sessions and many other activities Osprey has introduced special 11 for the price of 10 offers and also given customers the opportunity to try a second activity at a cost of only £1.

With so many sessions and options available at such great value why not give yourself a seasonal boost and blow away those unwanted autumn blues.

For any further information on the above or the adjacent advert please feel free to contact the centre on 01305 824378 or visit the centre website.

FREE HALLOWEEN THEMED ZUMBA SESSION HELD AT BRIDPORT LEISURE CENTRE

GREAT fun was had by all - Bridport Leisure Centre' FREE monthly Zumba session followed a very spooky theme for Halloween on Sunday 30th October. 54 took part and many opted to join in and dress up for fun!

As well as the normal latin feel Zumba tunes that were regularly heard at the Zumba classes held at Bridport Leisure Centre, instructor Ally O'Reilly included some special tracks for Halloween such as Time Warp, Ghost Busters and a many more. When arriving the willing victims were met with the spooky spider webs and ghostly music. Smoke appeared from behind the eerie stage and the 'Kitty Allycat' (instructor) made everyone feel welcome, from regular participants to complete beginners.

After a gruelling but fun filled hour work out , the ladies and gents were rewarded with a sweetie treat, and were given a ½ Price Fitness Class voucher to use when attending one the wide range of Fitness Classes available at Bridport Leisure Centre – from Zumba, Spinning, Aqua Zumba, Aquafit, Aerobics, Pilates, Yoga plus many more!

FREE monthly ZUMBA sessions take place on the last Sunday of the month between 10.00am - 11.00am – next FREE session Sunday, November 27th – BOOK NOW!

For more information and to book please call Reception on Tel: 01308 427464 Full details are available on the website www.bridportleisure.com

Don't forget to follow Bridport Leisure Centre on Facebook and Twitter for a chance to WIN a 3 Month Price for Life Membership worth over £150.00! – Draw will be made on Tuesday, January 10th 2012.

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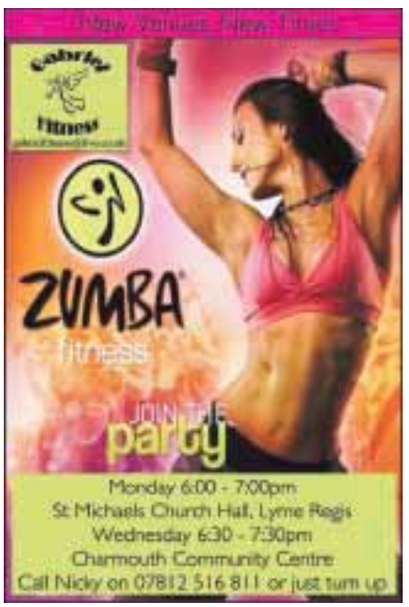

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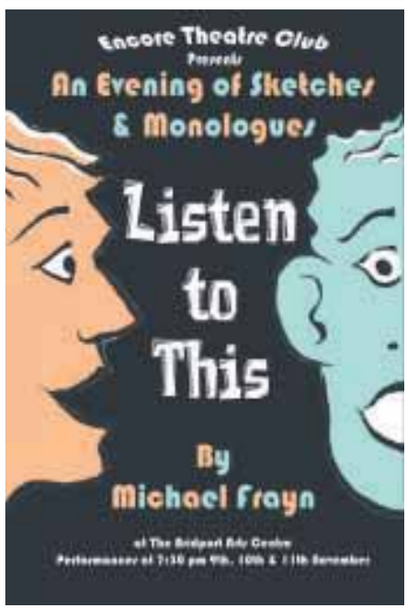

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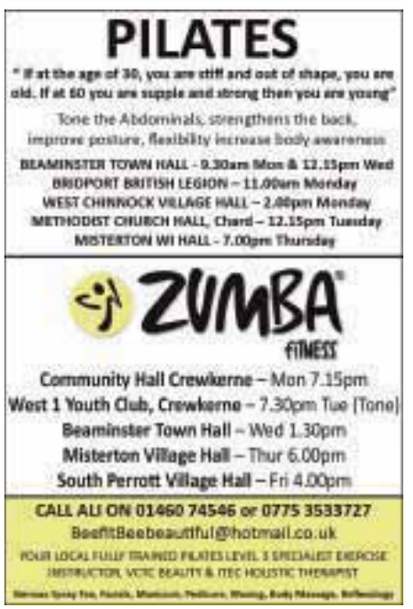

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WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 2ND

ROUSDON: Rousdon Social Club's Annual Turkey Bingo at Peek Hall. Doors open 7.15pm, eyes down 8pm. Bar and refreshments available at half time. Telephone 01297 443235 for more details.

BRIDPORT: Cookery Workshop for over 50s - Autumn Suppers. At Bridport Centre for Local Food, Unit 17, St Michael's Trading Estate. Workshop costs £7.50, starting at 1.30pm. Telephone 01308 428924 or 420269 for more details.

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 3RD

BRIDPORT: International Folk Dancing Club at 7.45pm in the British Legion Hall, Victoria Grove, Bridport. International Folk Dancing is recreational dancing involving traditional dances from many countries, including Greece, Bulgaria and other Balkan states, Israel, France, etc. Dances are mostly performed in semi-circles and partners are not required. Beginners are welcome - prior knowledge is not required as all dances will be taught by a local enthusiast, Mecki Testroet, who started international folk dancing in 1985. Call for more details on 01308 423442

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 4TH

BROADWINDSOR: Beetle Drive at Comrades Hall from 7.30pm. Ploughman's & Pudding, licensed bar available. Tickets Adults £5 in advance, £6 on the door. Under 12s £1. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Telephone 01308 868759 or 867376 for more details or to book.

LYME REGIS: Lyme Bay Photographic Club presentation by Garry Hayball and judging of competition 'Flora'. At Woodmead Hall from 7.30pm. For more details call 01297 444733.

LYME REGIS: Coffee Morning at the Baptist Church Hall from 10am - 12noon. In aid of Save the Children. Sale of Christmas Cards, bring and buy sale. Entry £1 to include tea and biscuits. Telephone 01297 560402 for more details.

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 5TH

LITTLE BREDY: Martin's Down Bank Barrow Archaeology Walk. Meet in Little Bredy Village. From 10am, walk lasts approx 2 hours. £5 per adult, £1 per child (under 16). Book your place by emailing tripp.chris60@gmail.com, text or call 0776 869 51 62, or visit xcavate.blogspot.com. Also on Sunday, November 6th.

BURTON BRADSTOCK: Burton Bradstock WI Early Christmas Fair and Coffee Morning at the village hall from 10.30am - 12noon. Admission £1 includes tea/coffee and mince pie. Crafts, Christmas gifts, books, cakes and raffle.

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 5TH & SUNDAY 6TH

SALWAYASH: Dancing into Elemental Art, a dance and art workshop. We shall meet for a walk in an ancient wood on Saturday morning, which will provide inspiration for movement, dance, painting, stitching and making, back at Salwayash village hall. Wendy Hermelin is an experienced dance workshop leader and a local textile artist. Come and explore your own creativity, exercise your body, feed your soul and take home something you have made. Cost £95 contact Wendy on 01308 862332 or email mail@wendyhermelin.co.uk

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 6TH

BEAMINSTER: Games Club at Beaminster Youth Centre, 6 Prout Bridge. Every Sunday 2 - 6pm. All games welcome. Telephone 01308 862528 for more details.

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MONDAY NOVEMBER 7TH

DORCHESTER: U3A Monthly Meeting with a talk by Joe Burlington on the potential implications of Climate Change. Coffees, teas available. Free Parking. At Holy Trinity Parish Centre from 10am - 12noon. Telephone 01305 250347 for more details.

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 9TH

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BROADMAYNE: Market in St Martins Community Hall. Produce, cakes, plants, craft, Dorset Sausages,Pork, Local Fruit & Produce,Plants from a local nursery, Fair-trade goods, library etc and enjoy a cup of tea and a chat. Form more details call 01305 85375.

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 10TH

DORCHESTER: Plant Heritage Dorset Group present "Rhododendrons of the West Coast of Scotland" an illustrated talk by nurseryman Dick Fulcher at 7.30pm in the Conference Room, Kingston Maurward College. Visitors welcome for small donation of £2.50. For more details call 01305 772533.

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 12TH

BROADMAYNE: St Martin's Day Celebration in St Martin's Church & Community Hall from 10am to 12noon. Fresh Produce, Tombola, Craft, Jigsaws, Bric-a-Brac, Home-Made Cakes & preserves, Books, children's Games, Raffle, Refreshments & much more. For further details Eleanor Piper 01305 853765.

SOUTH PERROTT: Church Bazaar at South Perrott Village Hall (A356) from 2.30pm. Bric-a-brac, new-to-you, gifts, toys, books and cakes. Entry 20p in aid of St Mary's Church

MOSTERTON: Quiz night at Mosterton Village Hall. £6 per head - includes supper. Bar open. 7pm for 7.30pm. Teams of 4 (max6). Telephone 01308 868631 for more details.

CHARMINSTER: Ethical Christmas Shopping, Coffee and Stalls at Charminster Parish Church from 10am - 12noon. Free entry, no parking charges

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 12TH - WEDNESDAY 30TH

LYME REGIS: Exhibition: 'Wear It Out' at the Upstairs Gallery, Town Mill. Three apparel designers producing locally: Hilary Highet, individual women's knitwear; Miranda Juster of Justababe's children's knitwear ; Sylvie Winder of Silver Quayle, bespoke dressmaker . Commissions welcomed. Free entry. Open 11am to 4pm every day except Monday. For more details visit www.townmillartsguild.com

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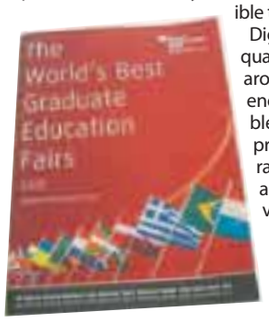

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The Axminster branch, which opened in 2007, is based on the Millwey Rise Industrial Estate and has proven to be a massive success and with an ever-expanding customer base seems to be growing in popularity. Regularly supplying materials to over 200 local plumbers and tradesmen. The Axminster branch prides itself on a large shop and extensive stock ranges. The shop itself has recently undergone a face-lift to accommodate 10 brand new bathroom displays. Samples of which are pictured.

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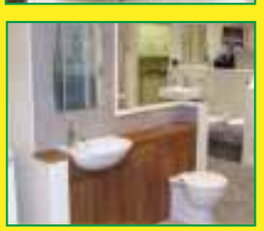

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Whilst researching the market, we also discovered that; although there is a really simple and cheap system to protect all your computers; nobody was promoting it! Microsoft have produced a piece of software called Windows HomeServer 2011 which takes a complete image of your computer, and when incorporated into our JCH systems, will quietly sit in a corner of your home or small business and look after up to TEN computers linked to it. It will also give you extra storage that all ten PCs can access if they are short on space; these shares can also be accessed from anywhere in the world via the internet! It gives you the services of Cloud storage but you know that you have complete control over the information as it's YOUR CLOUD in YOUR home or business!

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Stokes Partnership

Growth despite recession

BRENDAN Pang, Partner and Head of Commercial Services at Stokes Partners LLP says that the answer lies in sustained investment in technology and key personnel.

From the very outset, the firm has invested unstintingly in the latest technology whether it is a phone system or dual screens at each workstation. After staff wages, I.T. represents one of the firm's largest areas of spend. It is now looking with its consultants at cloud technology as part of its disaster recovery plan.

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As a Limited Liability Partnership, the firm is able to recruit talented and ambitious young lawyers from city and regional firms.

It recently succeeded in recruiting Helen Williams, an Associate from a large Exeter practice. Helen specialises in property litigation and joins the Commercial Services team.

The Commercial Services team provides a seamless service to business clients from employment contracts, business disputes to sale and acquisition of businesses.

The firm has a particularly strong reputation for property related dispute resolution, acting for numerous regional and national clients. It frequently deals with heavyweight litigation, punching above its weight against lawyers from the large City firms.

The firm is recommended in The Legal 500 for the South West in the areas of Commercial Property (Robert Wright), Family (David Stokes) and Dispute Resolution/Commercial Services (Brendan Pang).

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▲ **Left to right Jan Merriott, David Spencer, Matthew Pye**

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Whilst continuing to be a family-run company based in the south west, Axminster has developed an extensive business, witnessing growth over the past few years and sourcing products from both within the UK and overseas. Axminster is now in a position to offer more than 16,000 product lines via its online / mail order service.

The Axminster retail store located on the Trafalgar Way (Axminster) stocks a wide range of over 10,000 products. It is one of five retail stores dotted across the UK, the others being situated in Sittingbourne (Kent), High Wycombe (Bucks), Nuneaton (Warwickshire) and Warrington (Cheshire).

You can shop and browse at leisure through the comprehensive range of tools, machinery and accessories. Top power tool brand names include Bosch, Makita, DeWalt, Festool and Fein, plus quality hand tools from Stanley, Crown, Lie-Nielsen and Veritas, to name a few. What's more, our friendly and knowledgeable staff are always on hand and happy to guide you with any queries and assist you with your choice.

Plus, you can pick up a FREE copy of the Axminster catalogue from the Axminster store – 640 pages of more than 12,000 products and packed with lots of useful facts and figures. It is widely regarded by many customers as the essential guide to woodworking tools and machinery.

Axminster Tool Centre also runs a range of courses at its Skill Centre located on Weycroft Avenue in Axminster. Courses range from woodworking, woodturning and woodcarving to engineering and routing. There are introductory courses to encourage beginners and advanced courses for those who are more experienced and at a higher level of skill. For more information on courses, visit www.axminsterskillcentre.co.uk or call 0800 9751905.

Remember that whatever your tooling need, Axminster Tool Centre is here to help you.

▲ **The Axminster store team. L to R anticlockwise: Adrian Broadhead, Colin Small, Matt McAuley, Craig Steele, Gordon Shepherd, Steve Nex and Andrew Adams. Missing team members are Ed Cruwys Finnigan and Lawrence Burton**

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ESTABLISHED in 1983, Swift Signs have designed, manufactured and installed signs and identities of all sizes. These have been for local, national and international corporate clients.

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They are specialists in branding, particularly within the leisure and entertainment industry, where their portfolio includes more than a thousand public houses and many worldwide known leisure facilities. Outstanding design is guaranteed through their in house studio facilities.

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Glenn Tilbrook comes to Bridport next week

GLENN Tilbrook's solo acoustic show includes all the hits from his beloved band Squeeze, including 'Up The Junction', 'Take Me I'm Yours', 'Pulling Mussels From The Shell', 'Tempted' plus many more.

His work has been cited as a massive influence by the likes of Mark Ronson, The Feeling, Kasabian, Razorlight and Lily Allen and has earnt both Glenn and his Squeeze co-writing partner Chris Difford the prestigious Ivor Novello "Outstanding Contribution to British Music" and the Nordoff-Robbins "Icon" Awards.

"This is such a coup for such a small town!"
– Jess Grimshaw, The Electric Palace

Known for his preference to blur the lines between spectator and performer, the audience can expect to be involved in literally anything – even following Glenn as he beckons his crowd to leave the venue with him and set up an impromptu gig wherever the mood takes him.

After 30 years and having been to some of the highest points on Earth, Glenn Tilbrook still thrives on the buzz he gets from playing live like it was his very first time.

Glenn Tilbrook plays at Bridport's Electric Palace on Monday, November 7th from 7.30pm.

Tickets cost £16.50 in advance and are available from Bridport TIC - telephone 01308 424901, or online at www.electricpalace.org.uk

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Codeword

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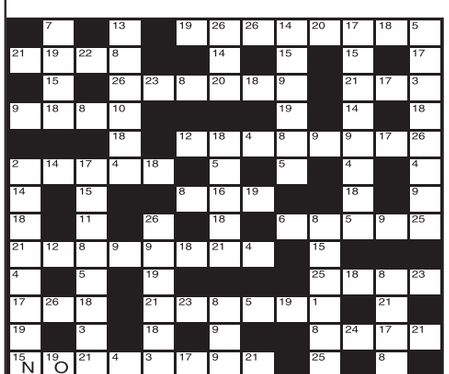

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LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
F	O	D	G	P	L	H	Z	Q	A	B	R	S
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
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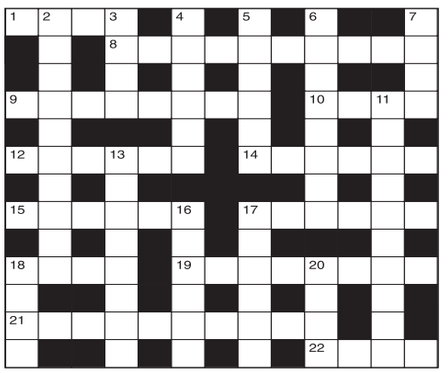
Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.



Cryptic Clues:

Across

1. Egyptian goddess is shown twice (4)
8. Hot stew taken in by medical orderly (10)
9. Possibly greets an N.C.O. (8)
10. Sound comeback (4)
12. Goes into liquidation when working hard? (6)
14. Game on board to wind up with (6)
15. Shun and finally cut (6)
17. Bash in, perhaps, and drive away (6)
18. One entitled to look closely (4)
19. Casual feature of grain for malting (8)
21. Animal gets cold in the Far East (10)
22. Learning a new role (4)

Down

2. What disposing of a good pair of nylons would be? (5,5)
3. Sticks up, looking complacent (4)
4. Small streetlights - might help them to find their way home! (6)
5. Stalls, so both have to change (6)
6. Keep quiet aboard ship (4,4)
7. Voice of natural tone (4)
11. Is valid as a description of what a bucket does (5,5)
13. Supporter likely to maintain contact (8)
16. Just say he's a craftsman (6)
17. Just happened to be cruel (6)
18. With due deference to speed (4)
20. Genuine old Spanish coin (4)

Quick Clues:

Across

1. Legend (4)
8. Easy task (6,4)
9. Dips in liquid (8)
10. Mature (4)
12. Genuflects (6)
14. Idea (6)
15. Lax (6)
17. Motive (6)
18. Minus (4)
19. Mishap (8)
21. Unofficially (10)
22. Team (4)

Down

2. The first humans (4,3,3)
3. Pain (4)
4. Fails to hit (6)
5. U.S. inventor (6)
6. Short musical drama (8)
7. Cow-house (4)
11. Declared (10)
13. Issue (8)
16. Convulsions (6)
17. Remember (6)
18. Den (4)
20. Periods of time (4)

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS:
CRYPTIC - Across: 7 Dregs; 8 Adapted; 9 Arrests; 10 Equip; 12 Well-placed; 15 Armageddon; 18 Sol-fa; 19 Nastier; 21 Portend; 22 Vesta. Down: 1 Edwardians; 2 Tears; 3 Uses; 4 Tassel; 5 Waterloo; 6 Staunch; 11 Pedestrian; 13 Engraver; 14 Implore; 16 Denude; 17 Rinse; 20 Save. QUICK - Across: 7 Noise; 8 Carnage; 9 Apparel; 10 Penal; 12 Disrespect; 15 Invaluable; 18 Tines; 19 Support; 21 Overrun; 22 Anger. Down: 1 Antagonist; 2 Nippy; 3 Bear; 4 Ocular; 5 Proposal; 6 Painter; 11 Literature; 13 Illusory; 14 Evangel; 16 Absent; 17 Tough; 20 Plan.

Sudoku

Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

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9		8				2		1
	4		9		1		5	
				3				6
3	9		7		6		2	
		9				8		2
		2	3		9	6		
	1			8			4	

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS >

4	9	1	3	6	5	2	8	7
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6	3	5	2	7	8	4	1	9
5	4	8	9	2	3	7	6	1
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8	1	9	4	3	2	5	7	6
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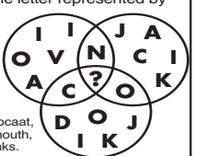
2	5	4	6	1	7	3	9	8

Circlegram

Replace the question mark with a letter so that the letters within each circle can be arranged to form words on a common theme. What are the three words, and the letter represented by the question mark?



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The letter represented by the question mark is V. Advocaat, Calvados, Vermouth, all alcoholic drinks.

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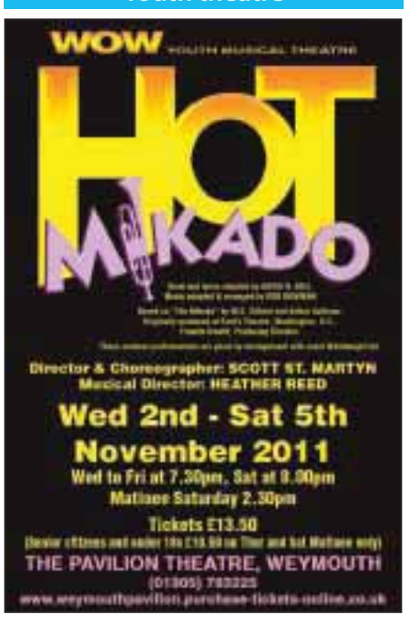

Yoga

Restaurant

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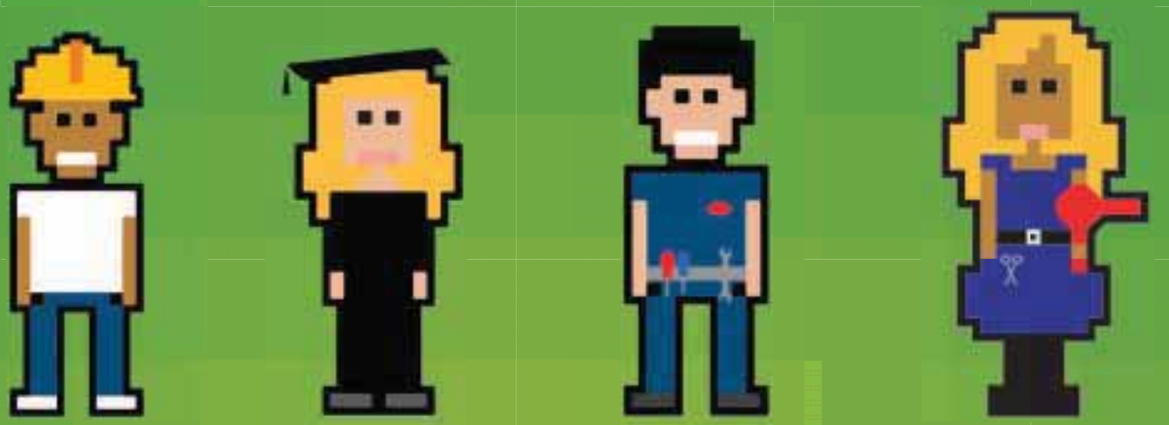

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view from classifieds

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LYME REGIS — GUIDE PRICE £250,000

A detached bungalow in a quiet cul-de-sac. Goodsized Living room. Conservatory. 2 Double Bedrooms. Easily maintained south facing garden. Single garage.

LYME REGIS — GUIDE PRICE £135,000

Modern first floor apartment forming part of a substantial 1920's detached house. Sea, coastal & country views. One double bedroom. Parking space.

AXMOUTH — GUIDE PRICE £249,950

A deceptively spacious 4/5 bedroomed family house with a delightful country outlook & a quiet village location. Parking & good size rear garden.

LYME REGIS — GUIDE PRICE £395,000

A detached bungalow situated in a quiet cul-de-sac on the elevated western outskirts of the town with views to the sea & coast. 2 Bedrooms. Integral garage. Well stocked gardens in an attractive good sized corner plot.

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Property Of The Week

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LYME REGIS - GUIDE £525,000

THIS detached chalet bungalow was probably built in the 1950's with rendered cavity walls beneath a tiled roof with more recent additions. Whilst the property has been well cared for and offers modern amenities a purchaser may wish to update parts.

The property occupies one of the most attractive sites in Lyme Regis well away from busy main roads yet only a few minutes walk away from the town centre shops and seafront. The views are a most impressive feature taking in the sea and West Dorset coastline.

Pine Walk is a private close of only some ten individual detached properties and at the far end about 250 metres away is access to National Trust land and the famous coastal footpath between Lyme and Seaton.

A brief summary of this property: super views of the sea and west dorset coastline, close to town centre, seafront and coastal path, away from busy roads, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, utility and w.c., master bedroom and ensuite (ground floor), 2 first floor bedrooms and bathroom, mature gardens. garage and ample parking, gas central heating, upvc double glazed windows.

Viewing is strictly by appointment with the vendor's agents, Martin Diplock Estate Agents & Valuers, 36 Broad Street, Lyme Regis on (01297) 445500.

CHARMOUTH - £415,000

THIS bungalow has been refurbished to a high standard, with a sympathetic nod to its' arts and crafts roots. High vaulted ceilings, stunning conservatory, views of golden cap and the sea. Block and pave patio with stone balustrade with two good sized double bedrooms, a sizeable loft room, and two reception rooms, this property has flexible accommodation and would make a delightful retirement or holiday home.

For more information please call Bridgman & Speak Estate Agents on 01308 888111.

BRIEF SUMMARY

- Sought After Charmouth Location
- Views of Golden Cap and the Jurassic Coast
- 2 Double Bedrooms & Sizeable Loft Room
- 2 Reception Rooms with Vaulted Ceilings
- Fitted Kitchen
- Large Conservatory
- Garage, Parking and Gardens

LYME REGIS - £575,000

SITUATED in a quiet and elevated position on the eastern side of the town, close to the golf course and adjacent to National Trust Woodland, Lymeray with its sunny balcony and terrace has far reaching views across the Lym Valley through to Uplyme and Woodhouse Hill.

The house provides well proportioned and spacious accommodation briefly comprising; entrance hall, cloak room, lounge with Purbeck stone fire place and patio doors opening to the terrace. Dining room, kitchen, breakfast room and utility room. On the first floor both the ensuite master bedroom and second bedroom open onto the large balcony (approx 32' x 8') which with its westerly views across the valley benefits from the last of the evening sun.

The separate annex is situated above the double garage and comprises open plan living/bedroom with corner kitchen, separate shower room and inner hall leading to the impressive indoor swimming pool with patio doors onto ins own private terrace.

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AXMINSTER - £595 PCM

ChampionHolmes is pleased to offer a well-presented modern two bedroom terraced house, benefiting from gas central heating and located in a quiet location within walking distance of Axminster town and its local amenities.

The front door leads into the Hall, with stairs leading to the first floor. Doors lead to the Kitchen and Lounge. The Kitchen, with window to the front aspect has modern fitted wall and base units incorporating a built-in oven, hob and extractor. The Lounge has a window, and a door giving access to the rear garden.

The first floor Landing has doors to bedrooms one and two: both are of double size with windows to the front and rear respectively. The fully tiled Bathroom with tiled floor has a 'Jacuzzi' bath with power shower, vanity unit with wash hand basin and WC with concealed cistern.

Outside to the front is an open plan gravelled garden whilst to the rear the enclosed garden has a patio with steps up to the lawn and includes a garden shed. The parking area to the front of the property is not allocated.

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Character Conversion Forming Just Three Houses
Contemporary Finish and Period Features
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Dorchester

One Bedroom Retirement Apartment with River View
Sitting/Dining Room with Feature Fireplace
Fitted Kitchen and Bathroom with Easy Access Bath
Double Bedroom with Built in Wardrobe
Lift Access and Permit Resident and Visitor Parking
Guest Suite - Home Manager - Lounge - Laundry - Careline

£92,000 Leasehold

Ryme Intrinseca

Popular Village Location Near to Yeovil and Sherborne
First Floor Living Room with Kitchen Adjacent
Double Bedrooms, Study and Bathroom on Ground Floor
Master Bedroom with En Suite on the Second Floor
Small Terrace to the Front and Single Car Port
Communal Grounds with Views and Visitor Parking

£182,500 Freehold

Dorchester

Delightful Victorian Terrace with Views to the Front
Sitting Room with Fireplace Housing Gas Fire
Fitted Kitchen/Dining Room and Rear Lobby/Utility Area
Two Double Bedrooms and Ground Floor Bathroom
Double Glazing and Gas Fired Central Heating
Covered Seating Area and Pretty Enclosed Courtyard

£187,500 Freehold

Maiden Newton

Thriving Village Location with Facilities
Three Double Bedrooms, Balcony and Dressing Room
Sitting Room with Bay Window and Fireplace
Bathroom with Roll Top Bath and Corner Shower
Oversized Detached Garage with Workshop Area
Off Road Parking for Several Cars

£220,000 Freehold

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Top Floor Purpose Built Apartment with Views
Deed Acquire 10' Sitting/Dining Room
Fitted Kitchen/Breakfast Room
Double Bedroom and Shower Room
Double Glazing and Night Storage Heating
Communal Gardens and Resident Permit Parking on Site

£109,950 Leasehold

Crossways

Extremely Well Presented Modern Family Home
Popular Village Location with Local Shops and Facilities
Sitting Room with Fireplace and Separate Dining Room
Kitchen/Breakfast Room and Ground Floor Cloakroom
Three Double Bedrooms, En Suite and Family Bathroom
Single Garage with Allocated Parking Space Adjacent

£255,000 Freehold

Godmanstone

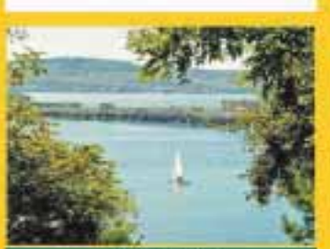
Village Location Close to the County Town
22 foot Sitting Room and Kitchen/Dining Room
Four Double Bedrooms, Bathroom with Sep Shower
Utility Room and Separate Cloakroom
Double Glazing and Oil Fired Central Heating
Front and Rear Gardens and Parking for Several Cars

£395,000 Freehold

Dorchester

Ground Floor Retirement Apartment for the Over 55's
Sitting/Dining Room with French Door to Garden
Fitted Kitchen and Bathroom with Shower
House Manager on Site and Careline Assistance
Communal Laundry, Lounge, Guest Suite and Grounds
Close to the County Town Centre and Facilities

£199,950 Leasehold



Weymouth

Ideal Holiday Let for the 2012 Olympic Sailing Events
Lovely Views of Portland and Weymouth Bay
Recently Built Eco-Friendly First Floor Apartment
Gated Development with Landscaped Gardens
Sitting/Dining Room and Two Double Bedrooms
Allocated Parking and Secure Bike Store

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Dorchester

Popular Residential Location in the County Town
Sitting/Dining Room and Kitchen with Utility Area
Three Double Bedrooms and Family Bathroom
Ground and First Floor Cloakrooms
Double Glazing and Gas Fired Central Heating
Gardens, Garage and Driveway

£232,500 Freehold

Uplyme

Four/Five Bedroom Detached Family Home
Sitting Room with Inglenook Fireplace
Kitchen/Breakfast and Utility Room
Study, Hobby Room and Laundry and Store Room
En Suite, Family Bathroom and Cloakroom
Generous Gardens, Integral Garage and Parking

£469,000 Freehold

Charlton Down

Two Double Bedroom Attached House
Part of a Grade II Listed Conversion
18' Sitting/Dining Room and Master Bedroom
Local Amenities including Village Hall, Shop and Gym
Sealed Unit Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating
Communal Grounds and Parking

£199,950 Leasehold - share of freehold

Beaminster

Stunning Views from this Well Presented Bungalow
Sitting Room with Multi Fuel Stove and Views
Fitted Kitchen/Dining Room and Utility Room
Two Double Bedrooms and En Suite Shower Room
uPVC Double Glazing, Fascias and Soffits
Gas Fired Underfloor Heating, Gardens and Parking

£269,950 Freehold

Weymouth

Fully Furnished Winter Let
Close to Hope Square with Harbour Views
Walking Distance of the Town and Beach
Courtyard Garden to the Rear
Three Double Bedrooms and Two Reception
Bathroom with Shower and Cloakroom

£750

Ryme Intrinseca

Popular Village Location Near to Yeovil and Sherborne
First Floor Living Room with Kitchen Adjacent
Double Bedrooms, Study and Bathroom on Ground Floor
Master Bedroom with En Suite on the Second Floor
Small Terrace to the Front and Single Car Port
Communal Grounds with Views and Visitor Parking

£625

Dorchester

Ideal Family Home or Potential B & B
Sitting and Dining Rooms, Fitted Kitchen/Breakfast
Ground Floor Cloakroom and Rear Porch
Four Bedrooms, Three En Suites and Family Bathroom
Double Glazing and Gas Fired Central Heating
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New Instruction

Charmouth - £415,000
This BUNGALOW has been REFURBISHED to a high standard, with a sympathetic nod to its' ARTS AND CRAFTS roots. 2 Double Bedrooms, High VAULTED ceilings, stunning CONSERVATORY with VIEWS of GOLDEN CAP and the SEA..

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Bradpole - £250,000
Sizeable plot with 3 bed bungalow and adjoining single garage situated centrally. This aggressively priced bungalow would make a super family home, not far from the local schools and could benefit from improvements STPP.

Bridport - Sale Agreed Another Required
Three bed bungalow in sought after location with views over Bridport and towards West Bay.

Bradpole - £255,000 ono
Lovely property in superb condition, the property has three bedrooms, a bespoke fitted kitchen, open plan to dining room, large bathroom, sizeable lounge, pretty South facing garden.

Bridport - £399,9550
Breathtaking panoramic views can be seen from this well presented, recently refurbished bungalow. The property benefits from grounds of approximately one acre with a range of outbuildings. Further improvements (STPP) could include conversion of one or both of the garages to bedrooms or living accommodation.

Symondsbury - £125,000
Situated on the outskirts of a sought after village, this well presented one bedroom cottage has been a successful holiday let for some time with evidence available of a substantial income. Would suit FTB or BTL Investor.

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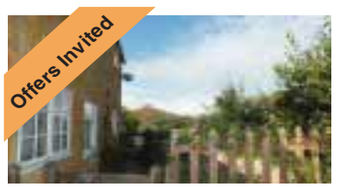

Symondsbury - Offers
This 3 bed cottage has a substantial kitchen / dining room, family sized living room, sun room with views of Colmers Hill, cottage garden, car port etc.

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POUNDBURY £350 000
POUNDBURY VILLAGE
Two Receptions – Kitchen – Utility Room
Three Bedrooms – En-Suite – Bathroom
Garden – Garage – Gated Parking
No Onward Chain
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POUNDBURY £395 000
FOUR BEDROOMS
Two Receptions – Study - Utility
Cloakroom – Two En-Suites
Enclosed Garden – Garage
Gated Parking
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POUNDBURY £179 950
TWO BED RETIREMENT APARTMENT
Communal Entrance Hall – Apartment Hall
Sitting/Dining Room – Kitchen – Two Beds
Shower Room – Residents' Lounge and
Garden – Secure Parking – No Chain
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POUNDBURY £355 000
THREE DOUBLE BEDROOMS
Sitting Room - Conservatory
Kitchen/Dining Room
Cloakroom – En-Suite – Garden
Carport – Garage
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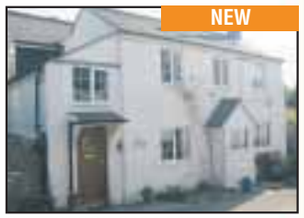

CATTISTOCK £284 995
DETACHED IN VILLAGE LOCATION
Sitting Room/Dining Area
Kitchen/Breakfast/Utility Room – Shower
Room – Three Double Bedrooms – Study/Box
Room – Garage/Workshop – No Onward Chain
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POUNDBURY £395 000
HIGH SPEC RENOVATION
Two Receptions - Kitchen/Dining Room
Three Double Beds – Two En-Suites
Cloakroom with Shower
Gated Driveway – Double Garage
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POUNDBURY £369 000
DESIRABLE LOCATION
Two Receps – Kitchen/Breakfast Room
Utility – Cloakroom - Three Double Beds
En-Suite - Landscaped Garden – Double
Garage & Parking
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TOLPUDDLE £237 500
SOUGHT-AFTER VILLAGE
Open-Plan Sitting/Dining/Kitchen
Cloakroom - Three Bedrooms
Enclosed Rear Garden
Single Garage
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CHARLTON DOWN £159 950
LUXURY RETIREMENT APARTMENTS
One and Two bedrooms
High Specification Kitchens
Balcony, Terrace or Garden
Residents Lounge – Parking
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DORCHESTER £349 950
FOUR BEDROOM TOWNHOUSE
Hall – Sitting Room/Dining Area
Kitchen/Breakfast Room – Ground Floor
Shower Room – En-Suite – Integral Garage
Parking – Gardens
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BEAMINSTER £299 950
LINK-DETACHED BUNGALOW
Sitting Room – Dining Room/Third
Bedroom – Conservatory – Kitchen – Two
Further Double Bedrooms – Garage
Gardens – Workshop – LPG Central Heating
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BEAMINSTER £319 950
VIEWS TO THE REAR
Hall - Sitting/Dining Room - Conservatory
Cloakroom - Kitchen/Breakfast - Four
Bedrooms - En-Suite - Single Garage
Driveway - Garden
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BEAMINSTER £359 950
SEMI-DETACHED GEORGIAN STYLE
Entrance Hall – Two Receptions – Utility
Room – Cloakroom – Three Bedrooms
En-Suite – Gated Driveway – Single Garage
Garden
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CORSCOMBE £339 950
DETACHED BUNGALOW WITH VIEWS
Sitting Room - Dining Room - Conservatory
Kitchen/Breakfast - Utility - Master Bedroom
Two Further Bedrooms - Double Garage
Gardens
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BEAMINSTER £240 000
SEMI-DETACHED PERIOD COTTAGE
Sitting Room/Dining Area – Garden Room
Kitchen – Two Bedrooms – Bathroom
GFCH - UPVC Double-Glazed Windows
Pretty Garden
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BEAMINSTER £695 PCM
DOUBLE FRONTED COTTAGE
Entrance Hall/Study Area – Two Receptions
Kitchen – Utility/Cloakroom
Three Bedrooms – Bathroom – Small
Garage – Enclosed Rear Garden – UF
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BEAMINSTER £600 PCM
END OF TERRACE CLOSE TO SQUARE
Entrance Lobby – Sitting Room/Dining Area
Kitchen – Three Bedrooms
Gas-Fired CH – Front Courtyard
Rear Access – UF
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POUNDBURY £900 PCM
SPACIOUS GARDEN FLAT
Fully Furnished - Two Receptions
Kitchen – Three Bedrooms
En-Suite Shower Room - Bathroom
Courtyard Garden
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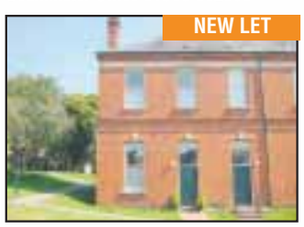

CHARLTON DOWN £675 PCM
CONVERTED END OF TERRACE
Private Entrance
Open-Plan Sitting/Dining Room
Kitchen – Two Double Bedrooms
Communal Gardens – Parking
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CHARLTON DOWN £625 PCM
FLAT IN VILLAGE LOCATION
Spacious Sitting Room
Two Bedrooms - Kitchen
Allocated Parking
Communal Gardens
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- Three Bedroom
- Period Cottage
- Rural Location
- Large Gardens
- Ideal Second Home
- Off Street Parking
- No Onward Chain

SALWAY ASH — £149,950

- Two Bedroom
- Terraced House
- Living Room
- Conservatory
- Kitchen
- Bathroom
- Enclosed Garden
- Garage

BRIDPORT — £189,950

- Two Bedroom
- Two Reception Room
- Attached Cottage
- Situated In South Street
- Ideal Buy To Let
- Or Holiday Cottage
- No Onward Chain

BRIDPORT — GUIDE £400,000

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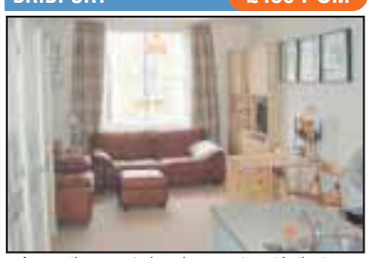
Investment
Current Income
£26,400
Per Annum
Call For Details

BRIDPORT — £450 PCM



A recently converted modern apartment in the town centre, comprising entrance hall, shower room, large amount of storage, kitchen area and spacious open plan lounge/bedroom. Available Soon – UF

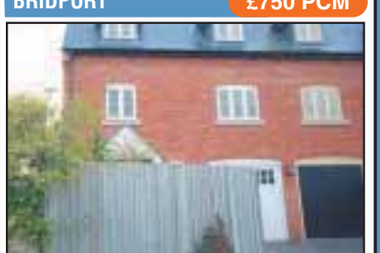
BRIDPORT — £525 PCM

A self contained ground floor flat, comprising, spacious kitchen/breakfast room, lounge area, bedroom, bathroom and garden. Available Nov – UF

BRIDPORT — £550 PCM

Well presented apartment, 2 bedrooms, fitted kitchen, lounge, bathroom. Walking distance from town, parking and communal gardens. Available Now UF

BRIDPORT — £750 PCM



An end terraced town house in the centre of the town, comprising cloakroom, kitchen/diner with granite work top, first floor, double aspect living room, cloakroom, two double bedrooms, study, bathroom, garage, garden and parking. Available Now - UF.

BRIDPORT — £795 PCM

A detached bungalow comprising living room, dining area, kitchen, three bedrooms on ground floor, bathroom and upstairs bathroom. Outside approx 85ft garden with views, garage and parking for 4 cars. Available Now UF

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AXMINSTER

£435 pcm UF

1 - BED FLAT
1-bed second floor FLAT.
Located in quiet development in the heart of the town. Fitted kitchen with Built-in electric oven, hob and extractor. Bathroom with shower facility

£520 pcm UF

EDGE OF TOWN
1-bed ground floor FLAT.
Located on edge of town with countryside views. Modern Fitted kitchen with Built-in electric oven, ceramic hob and extractor + other white goods. Bathroom with bath and shower cubicle. Gas CH. Garden. Allocated parking for 1 vehicle.

£525 pcm UF

NEW INSTRUCTION GROUND FLOOR FLAT
2-bed ground floor FLAT.
Located within walking distance of town centre and close to local amenities. Open plan kitchen / Living area with built-in Electric oven and hob. Bathroom with Shower Facility. Gas CH. Allocated Parking Space.

£595 pcm UF

IN QUIET LOCATION
2-bed terraced HOUSE.
In quiet location within walking distance of town centre. Kitchen with built-in oven, hob and extractor hood. Lounge with door to rear garden. Double size bedrooms. Bathroom with 'jacuzzi' bath and Power Shower. Enclosed rear Garden with patio area and Garden Shed.

£630 pcm UF

COTTAGE ON EDGE OF TOWN
2-bed semi-detached COTTAGE.
Located on edge of town and within walking distance of local amenities. Kitchen / Breakfast Room. Utility / Rear Lobby. Living Room with gas coal-effect fire. Bathroom with Shower facility. Front and Rear Enclosed Gardens. Shed and Greenhouse. Street Parking.

£720 pcm UF

MODERN END TERRACE HOUSE MUST BE SEEN
3-bed end terrace HOUSE.
Located within popular residential area on edge of town and close to local amenities. Cloakroom. Kitchen / Breakfast Room with fitted wall and base units with built-in gas hob, electric oven and extractor hood. Lounge with feature 'Adam' style fireplace for electric fire. Bathroom with Shower facility. Gas CH. Enclosed rear Garden. Single Garage with off-road parking for 1 vehicle

BRIDPORT & CHARD

£585 pcm UF

BRIDPORT GROUND FLOOR FLAT
2-bed ground floor FLAT.
Located within walking distance of town and local amenities. Subject of recent re-decoration and new flooring throughout. Lounge / Dining room. Fitted kitchen. Shower Room with walk-in Shower. Bedroom with Dressing area incorporating vanity wash hand basin. Gas CH. Allocated parking space.

£395 pcm UF

CLOSE TO TOWN CENTRE
1-bed ground floor FLAT.
Close to Tesco's and within walking distance of the town centre and amenities. Open plan living and kitchen. Gas CH. Parking.

£495 pcm UF

CHARD COTTAGE ON EDGE OF TOWN CENTRE
1-bed COTTAGE.
Located on edge of town centre and amenities. Fitted kitchen. Living room with feature ornamental fireplace. Bathroom with Shower facility.

WINTER LETS

£675 pcm FF

CHIDEOCK, Nr BRIDPORT WINTER LET COTTAGE
2-bed split-level COTTAGE.
Located within walking distance of village centre with countryside views. Open plan kitchen / Dining and Lounge area with French door to garden. Shower Room and Bathroom with Shower Facility. Electric heating. Patio area and Communal lawn. Parking for 1 vehicle. Presented fully furnished.

£675 pcm FF

CHIDEOCK, Nr BRIDPORT WINTER LET COTTAGE
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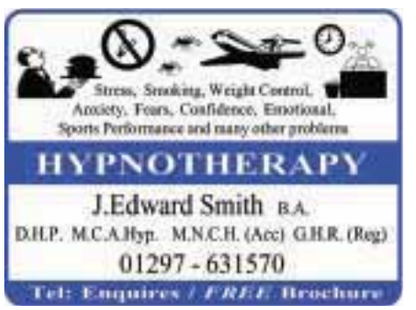

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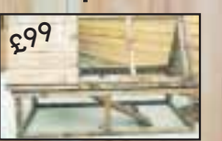

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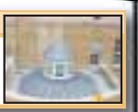

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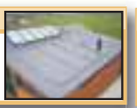

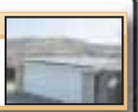

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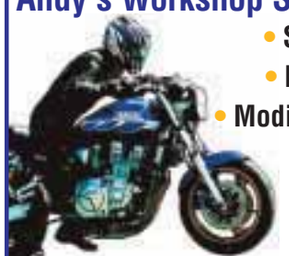

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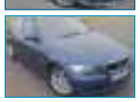

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DORSET FOOTBALL

WHY HAS THE ANSWERS FOR CHICKENS

Linaker goal sees Portland United back up to top spot

PREMIER LEAGUE

THE top-of-the-table clash at Portland was decided by an Adam Linaker goal which proved too much for reigning Champions Hamworthy Recreation.

There was a similar scoreline at Holt United with a Simon Edwards goal seeing off Cranborne.

Down at the bottom goals from Shane Sheridan, Adam Ansty and Charlie Taylor lifted Weymouth Reserves out of the bottom three following a 3-1 win at Merley Cobham.

Star of the day was Josh Why who struck four times in Chickerell United' 5-3 win at Poole Borough. Warren White bagged the Chickens' other goal.

Paul Best (2), Liam Currell and Jacob Harrop scored the goals as Swanage & Herston thrashed Shaftesbury 5-0.

Westlands Sports remain well placed in third despite being held to a 3-3 draw at Blandford United.

Sam Jarman (2) and Marc Cains scored for Sports with Mark Ford (2) and Justin Hall on target for the Royals.

The all-Somerset clash between Wincanton Town and Tintinhull ended goal less.

Honours were even at Sturminster Marshall too where Darrell Williams netted for the hosts against Hamworthy United Reserves. Jordan Basing scored for the Hammers.

LEAGUE TOP SCORERS

Sam Jarman (Westlands Sports), Chris Payne (Holt United) both 14, Mark Ford (Blandford United (13).

SENIOR LEAGUE

WAREHAM Rangers remain three points clear after 2-1 win at Weymouth Sports thanks to goals from David Best (pen) and Simon Lander. Robbie Rolls bagged the Sports consolation.

Portland United moved up into second spot following their 2-0 victory at struggling Piddletrenthide United.

Upwey and Broadwey moved up into the top three after their 5-3 win at Kingston Lacy. Simon Dyer (2) and Alex Pettit netted the hosts' consolations.

Sturminster Newton stay in fifth place despite sharing two goals and the points in a 1-1 draw at Stourpaine with the host's goal coming from Mark Fraser.

The only home victory came at Bishops Caundle where Liam Costello and Nick Elsworth scored in a 2-0 win over Blandford.

Okeford United thrashed Gillingham 6-1 on their own turf. Marc Doble hit four and Luke Turk and Matthew Jordan chipped-in with singles.

A Liam Coles goal couldn't save Chickerell United from a 2-1 home defeat at the hands of Witchampton.

DIVISION ONE

STUART Dominey (pen), Jordan Coles and Matt Chant scored the goals as Mere Town maintained their five point lead at the top of the table after a 3-0 home victory over The Ship Inn, Wool.

Hard on their heels are Westland Sports who had a 9-0 victory against Swanage Town & Herston. Leo Hayward (5), Ian Harris (3) and Danny Call scored for the hosts.

Granby Rovers stay in third place after Marcus Simpson scored twice in the 2-0 win over they defeated Poundbury Rovers.

Meanwhile a Jamie Butler couldn't save Dorchester Town Reserves from a 2-1 home defeat at the hands of Poole Borough.

Bere Regis hoisted themselves into the top five with a 6-1 victory against Wincanton Town with their goals coming from Aaron Scott (2), John Sanders, Jack Watson, Matt Elford and Dale Wright.

Kangaroos went down 3-2 at home to Merley Cobham. Carl Lewis and Steve Wilson scored the hosts' consolations.

It was a good day for Dorchester Borough who netted their first three-point haul after a 1-0 win over fellow stugglers Shaftesbury.

DIVISION TWO

CORFE MULLEN and 11th Signal Regiment's title aspirations were both dented at the weekend.

Corfe were held to a goal less draw at Gillington but stay top. The Signals went down 3-2 at Bridport 3rds who leap-frogged their opponents into second place.

A 2-1 win at Sturminster Newton United means Weymouth Spartans are still very much in the hunt for a promotion spot.

Wyke Regis SC had a day to forget as they were crushed 10-2 on their own turf by Milborne Sports.

Goals from Gary Harbey, Danny Dancer and Andy Nott proved too hot for Corfe Castle who went down 3-1 at The Balti House. Sammy Dellou scored for Corfe.

DIVISION THREE

AFC Cobham eased three points clear at the top after a 4-2 win at Portesham. Chris Birch scored both for the Ports.

Piddlehinton United moved back into the top two after they defeated Galaxy 3-0 with goals from Ben Jeanes (2) and Nick Hansford (pen).

Cranborne moved out of the bottom two with a 3-2 victory over Maiden Newton & Cattistock Joshua Holt and Daniel Smith scored the consolations.

DIVISION FOUR

HANDLEY Sports extended their lead at the top to five points with a 4-3 win over visiting Puddletown Adam Day (2), Darren Munday and George Gibbs scored for the Sports.

Weymouth Spartans moved up into second place after a 3-3 draw at Galaxy. On target for the Spartans were; Lee Whisselle (2) and Elliott Gould.

Bishops Caundle moved off the foot of the table following their 3-0 victory at Owermoigne who slip down to third place as a result.

Fourth placed Littlemoor could only bag a point from their home game with Swanage Town & Herston. Daniel Pavey, Shane Lock and Kieron Ralston scored in the 3-3 draw.

Meanwhile mid-tablers Stalbridge and Poundbury Rovers played out a goal less draw.

DIVISION FIVE

AFC Blandford moved up to second place following a 7-0 success against Poundbury Rovers. Charlie James (2), Dave Cox, David Mitchell, Danny Benham, Mike Lovell and Andy McGill (pen) made up the magnificent seven.

Donhead United slipped down to third after they only took a point at Milborne Sports with a 1-1 draw with their goal coming from Aaron Shoemark while on target for the Sports was James Connelly.

Broadstone moved up a place to fourth with a 7-1 victory over Handley Sports with their strikes coming from Luke Gee (3), Steve Davies, Jamie Yeo, Silawosz Samedzade and an own goal.

Marnhull stay in sixth place after their 5-4 win against Dorchester Community Church. Luke Perry (3) and Will Stevens (2) scored for the hosts with Roger Frapwell (2), Matthew Cracknell and Chris Irons replying.

RESULTS, October 29th

Blandford Utd 3-3 Westland Sports
Holt United 1-0 Cranborne
Merley Cobham 1-3 Weymouth Res
Parley Sports 2-1 Bridport Reserves
Portland United 1-0 Hamworthy Rec
Poole Borough 3-5 Chickerell United
Sturm Marshall 1-1 Hamw Utd Res
Swanage & Herston 5-0 Shaftesbury
Wincanton Town 0-0 Tintinhull.

Senior League

Bishops Caundle 2-0 Blandford Utd
Chickerell Utd 1-2 Witchampton Utd
Gillingham Town 1-6 Okeford United
Kingston Lacy 3-5 Up & Broadwey
Piddletrenthide 0-2 Portland Utd
Stourpaine 1-1 Sturm Newton Utd
Weymouth Sports 1-2 Wareham Ran

Division One

Bere Regis 6-1 Wincanton Town
Dorchester A 1-2 Poole Borough
Granby Rovers 2-0 Poundbury
Kangaroos 2-3 Merely Cobham
Mere Town 3-0 Ship Inn Wool
Shaftesbury 0-1 Dorchester Boro

Division Two

Bridport 3-2 11th Signal Regiment
Gillingham 0-0 Corfe Mullen United
Wyke Regis SC 2-10 Milborne Sports
Sturm Newton 1-2 Weymth SpartNs
The Balti House 3-1 Corfe Castle
Wareham Rangers 6-1 Lytchett RT
Westland Sprts 9-0 Swanage & Hers

Division Three

Cranborne 3-2 Maiden Newt & Catt
Okeford United 3-2 Soccer FC
Piddlehinton United 3-0 Galaxy FC
Portesham 2-4 AFC Cobham

Division Four

Galaxy FC 3-3 Weymouth Spartans
Handley Sports 4-3 Puddletown
Owermoigne 0-3 Bishops Caundle
Poundbury Rovers 0-0 Stalbridge
Littlemoor 3-3 Swanage & Herston

Division Five

AFC Blandford 7-0 Poundbury
Broadstone 7-1 Handley Sports
Marnhull 5-4 Dorchester CC
Milborne Sports 1-1 Donhead Utd

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Verwood Town v Wimborne Town

Saturday, November 5th
Dorset Senior Cup
Chickerell United v Hamworthy Rec
Portland United v Poole Borough
Holt United v Swanage & Herston

Dorset Junior Cup
Donhead United v Bere Regis
Beaminster Res v Charmouth
Pymore v Bradford Abbas
Thorncombe v Stickland United
Parley Sports v Netherbury
Piddlehinton United v Clifton Sports

Premier League
Bridport Reserves v Shaftesbury
Cranborne v Weymouth Reserves
Hamworthy Utd Resv Parley Sports
Sherborne Res v Blandford Utd
Sturm Marshall v Merley Cobham

Senior League
Bishops Caundle v Portland United
Blandford Utd v Piddletrenthide Utd
Gillingham Town v Up & Broadwey
Okeford Utd v Sturminster Newton
Stourpaine v Wareham Rangers
Witchampton v Weymouth Sports

Division One
Dorchester Town v Dorchester Boro
Merley Cobham v Westland Sports
Poole Borough v Ship Inn Wool
Poundbury Rovers v Bere Regis
Shaftesbury v Kangaroos
Swanage & Herston v Wincanton

Division Two
11th Signals v Wyke Regis SC
Corfe Castle v Corfe Mullen Utd
Dorchester Sports v Bridport
Gillingham Town v Milborne Sports
Sturm Newton Utd v Lytchett RT
Wareham Rangers v Crossways
Weymouth Spartans v Balti House.

Division Three
Galaxy FC v AFC Cobham
Maiden Newton & Catt v Cranborne
Portesham v Soccer FC

Division Four
Handley Sports v Littlemoor
Owermoigne v Galaxy FC
Puddletown v Weymouth Spartans
Stalbridge v Bishops Caundle
Swanage & Herston v Poundbury

Division Five
Maiden Newton & Catt v Handley Sp
Marnhull v AFC Blandford
Milborne Sports v Dorchester CC
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◆ **Dorset Squad: Sam Bayston (Poole Town), Jason Beal (Shaftesbury), Aston Butcher (Dorchester Town), Will Gape (Dorchester Town), Sam Hardings (Allendale), Matthew Harvey (Weymouth), Charlie Holland (Weymouth), Liam Jacobs (Wimborne Town), Jamie Perry (Merley Cobham Sports/Poole Borough), Christian Povall (Weymouth Youth), Ross Purves (Shaftesbury), Alex Salazar (Poole Town/Christchurch), Jack Satterley (Hamworthy United), Aaron Scott (Swanage Town & Herston), Daniel Shape (Poole Town), Oscar Tilley (Poole Town), Billy Walker (Christchurch), Jack Watson (Swanage Town & Herston), Daniel Way (Dorchester Town), Calum Young (Swanage Town & Herston). Manager: Jamie Murray, Coach: Rob Dorey, First Aid: Mike Westwood.**

DORSET PREMIER FOOTBALL LEAGUE

PREMIER	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Portland United	13	10	1	2	38	31
Hamworthy Rec	12	10	0	2	30	30
Westland Sports	12	9	1	2	34	28
Wincanton Town	13	9	4	0	30	28*
Holt United	13	9	1	3	17	28
Swanage Town & Her	13	8	1	4	10	25
Chickerell United	11	7	1	3	11	22
Tintinhull F.C	13	5	4	4	-7	19
Parley Sports	13	5	2	6	-7	17
Poole Borough	13	4	4	5	8	16
Sturminster Marshall	12	4	3	5	5	15
Bridport Reserves	12	4	2	6	-1	14
Hamworthy Utd Res	13	3	2	8	-31	11
Merley Cobham Sports	11	3	1	7	-4	10
Blandford United	13	2	4	7	-22	10
Weymouth Reserves	13	4	2	7	-6	8*
Cranborne	12	2	2	8	-18	8
Shaftesbury F.C	13	2	1	10	-35	7
Sherborne Town Res	13	0	2	11	-52	2

(* points adjustment)

THE DORSET FOOTBALL LEAGUE

SENIOR	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Wareham Rangers	9	6	3	0	8	21
Portland United Res	9	5	3	1	13	18
Up and Broadwey	8	6	0	2	7	18
Kingston Lacy	9	4	4	1	3	16
Sturminster Newton	9	4	2	3	3	14
Weymouth Sports	9	4	1	4	2	13
Bishops Caundle	8	3	3	2	4	12
Stourpaine	9	3	2	4	3	11
Okeford United	8	3	2	3	3	11
Witchampton Utd	8	3	1	4	-8	10
Gillingham Town Res	9	3	0	6	-9	9
Chickerell United Res	8	2	1	5	-6	7
Piddletrenthide Utd	8	1	1	6	-8	4
Blandford Utd Res	9	1	1	7	-15	4

DIVISION ONE	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Mere Town	9	8	1	0	40	25
Westland Sports Res	8	6	2	0	22	20
Granby Rovers	8	6	0	2	19	18
Poole Borough Res	9	5	1	3	12	16
Bere Regis	8	4	0	4	14	12
Poundbury Rovers	8	3	3	2	2	12
Merley Cobham Res	9	4	0	5	-7	12
Ship Inn, Wool	8	3	1	4	-8	10
Dorchester Town A	8	3	0	5	-3	9
Swanage Town & Her	7	3	0	4	-11	9
Kangaroos	6	2	1	3	-7	7
Wincanton Town Res	8	2	1	5	-12	7
Dorchester Borough	8	1	2	5	-13	5
Shaftesbury Reserves	8	0	0	8	-48	0

DIVISION TWO	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Corfe Mullen Utd	8	7	1	0	30	22
Bridport A	9	6	1	2	22	19
11 Signal Regiment	7	6	0	1	21	18
Weymouth Spartans	8	6	0	2	14	18
Milborne Sports	7	5	0	2	24	15
Dorchester Sports	7	5	0	2	9	15
Gillingham Town A	7	4	2	1	10	14
The Balti House	9	4	0	5	-7	12
Wareham Rang Res	9	2	2	5	-12	8
Wyke Regis SC	6	1	3	2	-13	6
Lytchett Red Triangle	9	2	0	7	-30	6
Corfe Castle	9	1	1	7	-18	4
Crossways	7	1	0	6	-15	3
Sturm Newton Res	8	0	0	8	-35	0

DIVISION THREE	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
AFC Cobham	9	6	1	2	8	19
Piddlehinton United	8	5	1	2	15	16
Donhead Utd	6	5	0	1	12	15
Stickland United	8	4	1	3	-7	13
Soccer FC	9	4	0	5	6	12
Portesham United	7	4	0	3	5	12
Galaxy FC	8	3	0	5	-7	9
Cranborne Reserves	8	2	1	5	-14	7
Bere Regis Reserves	5	2	0	3	2	6
Maiden Newt & Catt	7	2	0	5	-8	6
Okeford Utd Reserves	7	2	0	5	-12	6

DIVISION FOUR	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Handley Sports	8	6	0	2	20	18
Weymouth Spartans	7	4	1	2	4	13
Owermoigne	7	4	1	2	0	13
Littlemoor	7	3	2	2	1	11
Stalbridge	6	3	1	2	3	10
Poundbury Rovers	7	2	2	3	-8	8
Galaxy FC Reserves	6	1	3	2	-3	6
Puddletown	6	2	0	4	-4	6
Bishops Caundle Res	7	2	0	5	-9	6
Swanage Town & Her	7	1	2	4	-4	5

DIVISION FIVE	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Mere Town Reserves	7	6	0	1	30	18
AFC Blandford	7	6	0	1	27	18
Donhead Utd Res	8	5	2	1	15	17
Broadstone	8	5	1	2	16	16
Pimperne Sports	8	4	2	2	18	14
Marnhull	7	3	1	3	-6	10
Dorchester CC	6	2	0	4	-3	6
Maiden Newt & Catt	6	2	0	4	-12	6
Milborne Sports Res	9	1	2	6	-15	5
Poundbury Rovers A	9	1	2	6	-32	5
Handley Sports Res	9	1	2	6	-38	5

Not the best week!

BY local trainer Bob Buckler's record this season, this last week has not been his best writes Stuart Broom.

Mister Matt *found the ground too soft for him at Chepstow in the digibet.com Handicap Chase over two miles following heavy rain on the day including the race, and as a result after travelling well early on found the ground too much and he finished at the back of the field.*

"It was a disappointing finish to a long season that has seen him win a couple of races and been placed another seven times.

"He needs firm ground and the heavy rain on the day made the ground much too soft for him," said Buckler, who confirmed the horse will now take his winter's break.

Ballygulleen *has been retired from racing following the Sussex Equine Dentistry Handicap Chase over 3¼ miles at Fontwell when he refused at the second last when in second place.*

Buckler explained: "He is a real monkey, and I felt sorry for jockey Andrew Glassonbury as soon as the winner Wherrimon pulled away from them, leaving them to race on their own, as I knew he would refuse to continue on his own.

"There is nothing you can do about it unfortunately. He has ability, having won a couple of races in his career, but he has this problem of racing on his own.

"He obviously is not in love with racing and will be leaving the yard to go hunting or point-to-point."

Buckler was initially very disappointed with his other runner ***Quix*** *in the Cushman & Wakefield Novices' Hurdle over two miles at Ascot on Saturday. He jumped badly from the outset and was finally tailed off to finish fifth.*

"I know he can be a quirky character, but I couldn't understand at the time why he had jumped so badly and didn't appear to try.

"It was only the next morning when he could hardly move, and it appears that maybe he has torn some muscles high up in his back which was why he ran as he did. Although he has improved slightly he is obviously very sore, and the physio will be looking at him to check him out."

Champagne Rosie *was due her first run of the season at Exeter on Tuesday in a highly competitive race whilst Saint Peray was due to go on the same card.* ***Small Fly*** *is expected to run at Chepstow on Wednesday, and providing he is not balloted out,* ***Baron Sutton*** *will make his racing debut at Wincanton on Saturday.*

Stable jockey Nathan Sweeney rode out for the first time on Monday after breaking his leg in a fall aboard Ethiopia in July, and hopes that an x-ray in two weeks time will see him back in the saddle in the not too distant future.

Bolt to follow in Dan's footsteps

A BRIDPORT man is set to leave Usain Bolt, the fastest man on earth still in his blocks when he competes in The National Lottery Olympic Park Run next year.

Daniel Broom has won the opportunity of a lifetime by being among the first to run in the Olympic Stadium, the centrepiece of the London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games, when he takes part in the race on March 31st.

Daniel has been selected as one of just 5,000 people to take part in the five mile run through the Olympic Park which will pass iconic world-class venues like the Velodrome and Aquatics Centre before culminating in the first public access to the Olympic Stadium.

Those participating on the day will be the first people to cross the Olympic finish line in an official race.

Thirty-four-year-old Daniel learned last Friday that he was one of those successfully chosen by ballot from the thousands who entered the National Lottery on-line competition, and is looking forward to the experience which gives each runner the opportunity to be part of sporting history.

Each runner will also receive two spectator passes which will allow them entrance to the stadium to soak up the atmosphere and cheer him home as he crosses the finishing line.

There will also be a host of past and present Olympic and Paralympic stars present, both participating and offering support to the runners.

Daniel who ran the 10 mile Great South Run on Sunday said: "The confirmation came out of the blue, but it is a fantastic opportunity to not only run through the Olympic Park and view the magnificent stadia, but to finish in the Olympic Stadium and cross the finishing line is really something you can only dream about."

The 2012 Olympic Games runs from July 27th until August 12th and the Paralympic Games between August 29th and September 9th.

■ **OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFETIME:** Daniel Broom, pictured running in last year's Great South Run, who will be one of the first to cross the Olympic finishing line.

Lyme Regis cribbage

RESULTS (October 24th, week 8); Royal Oak 1 Axe Valiants 4, Rocky II 3 New Inn Kilm A 2, Gerrad Arms 2 Stepps 3, Lamb Swans 4 Beer Club 1, New Inn Kilm B 3 Ship LR 2, Ax Con Club 1 Nags Head LR 4.

Beer League; Royal Oak 1 Axe Valiants 2, Rocky II 1 New Inn Kilm A 2, Gerrard Arms 1 Stepps 2, Lamb Swans 3 Beer Club 0, New Inn Kilm B 2 Ship LR 2, Ax Con Club 1 Nags Head LR 2.

FIXTURES (November 7th); Axe Valiants v Stepps, N a g s Head LR v Beer Club, New Inn Kilm A v Ship LR, Rocky II v New Inn Kilm B, Gerrard Arms v Royal Oak, Ax Con Club v Nags Head LR.

	P	W	L	F	A	Pts
Nags Head	8	7	1	32	8	32
Rocky II	7	6	1	23	12	23
Royal Oak	8	5	3	21	19	21
Stepps	8	5	3	21	19	21
New Inn Kilmington B	8	4	4	19	21	19
Lamb Swans	6	4	2	17	13	17
Axminster Con Club	7	4	3	17	18	17
Beer Club	8	2	6	17	23	17
New Inn Kilmington A	8	3	5	16	24	16
Gerrard Arms	8	2	6	16	24	16
Axe Valiants	8	2	6	15	25	15
Ship Inn	6	1	5	11	19	11

Beer League	P	W	L	F	A	Pts
Rocky II	7	5	2	14	7	14
Gerrard Arms	8	5	3	13	11	13
New Inn Kilmington B	8	5	3	13	11	13
Nags Head	8	5	3	13	11	13
New Inn Kilmington A	8	4	4	13	11	13
Royal Oak	8	4	4	13	11	13
Lamb Swans	6	5	1	12	6	12
Axminster Con Club	7	4	3	11	10	11
Stepps	8	3	5	10	14	10
Ship Inn	6	2	4	9	9	9
Axe Valiants	8	1	7	8	16	8
Beer Club	8	2	6	6	18	6

Successful summer for Powerstock young cricketers

POWERSTOCK Junior Cricket Club held its end of season presentation evening last week and was pleased to welcome Phil Drake, Chairman of Dorset Cricket Association as a special guest. Chairman of the Club, Steve Hibbs, outlined the summer's achievements, which included being able to field three youth teams:-

The under 9s played friendly games, beating Martinstown but losing to Dorchester.

The Under 11s had a good season, coming runners up in the Archie Masters Cup to Dorchester.

The Under 13s also had a good season, being runners up in both the West Dorset League and the Dave Cheffey cup, just losing to Dorchester on both occasions.

The Club was also pleased to have seven members who played for the West Dorset district team this year.

The following club members were presented with individual awards for their performances in 2011:

U11s; Best batsman - Thomas Hughes, Best bowler - Will Brookes, Player's player - Thasien Chant, Most improved - Jack Parkman, Coaches player of the year - George Wyrill.

U13s; Best batsman - Ryan White, Best bowler - Rory Gillis, Player's player - Fergus Hathorn, Most improved - Alex Dovey, Coaches player of the year - Fergus Hathorn.

Eva Bowring got a special mention for being the only girl who had represented both the U11 and U13 teams and had shown outstanding skills as a wicket keeper for the U11s.

The parents and children thanked all the hard working committee members, coaches and parent volunteers for their help over the year and also the Weir Committee for the use of the Nettlecombe field.

Next summer, the club will be fielding four teams, U9s (friendly games), U11s, U13s and U15s.

Winter training has already started and is held at the Sir John Colfox school sports hall. New players are always welcome and for further information, contact Steve Hibbs on 01308 485413.

■ **WELL DONE:** Phil Drake and Steve Hibbs with the award winners

Tickets on sale for latest Bridport boxing tournament

TICKETS are now on sale for Bridport Boxing Club's next tournament to be held at the Freshwater Holiday Park on Saturday, November 19th where head coach Alan Slaney is anticipating 17 bouts including at least one ladies match.

This year's guest is Mike Tyson's No 1 sparring partner Joe Egan, to whom Tyson claims is 'the toughest white-man on the planet'. He will be presenting the trophies and will address the audience prior to the first bout.

Tickets are going well for the event which starts at 7.30pm, but there are still some left which can be purchased from Timpson's in West Street or Bridport Sports Shop in East Street, Bridport priced £15.

Tickets will also be available on the door and food will be available through the evening.

Dorchester & District Snooker League

RESULTS*; West Dorset Club A 4 Trinity Gooduns 4, WQest Dorset Club C 6 Colliton Club B 1, Trinity Express 3 WDC Whipping Boys 5, Colliton Cons 6 Colliton Nomads 2.*
30+ breaks*: S.Fry 48 & 30.*
Top Break of the Season: *Mark Beale (Trinity Gooduns), Graham Bartlett (West Dorset Club A) both 66.*

	Pld	*W*	*D*	*L*	*N/R*	*Pts*
West Dorset Club C	*7*	*5*	*2*	*0*	*0*	*36*
West Dorset Club A	*6*	*4*	*2*	*0*	*0*	*30*
Colliton Cons	*7*	*4*	*1*	*2*	*0*	*29*
Colliton Nomads	*6*	*4*	*1*	*1*	*0*	*23*
Trinity Gooduns	*6*	*3*	*1*	*2*	*0*	*23*
Purbeck Potters	*6*	*1*	*4*	*1*	*0*	*23*
Trinity M	*6*	*2*	*1*	*3*	*0*	*22*
WDC Whipping Boys	*5*	*2*	*0*	*3*	*0*	*18*
Colliton XQ2011	*6*	*1*	*1*	*4*	*0*	*18*
Trinity Express	*4*	*0*	*1*	*3*	*0*	*12*
Colliton Club B	*4*	*0*	*2*	*2*	*0*	*11*
Colliton Hopefuls	*4*	*0*	*0*	*4*	*0*	*9*

Team Open knock-out competition - 1st Round.
Trinity Gooduns v Colliton Nomads (no result received)
Fixtures - Tonight (November 2nd); *Colliton Club B v Colliton Hopefuls.* ***Tomorrow -*** *Colliton Cons v Trinity M (Team Open ko cup); Trinity Gooduns v Trinity Express.*
Reminder - League results
RESULTS must be with the Secretary by 9am on the Sunday following the match.
Failure to notify results or cancellations to Secretary by this time results in a two point deduction for the home or cancelling team.
Start times; *Teams are reminded that league matches should be started by 6.45pm at the very latest. The reminder is drawn to the attention of all teams as a result of unacceptably late finishes at some clubs in the early weeks of this season.*

Bridport Skittles League

Cup Fixtures for week beginning Monday November 7th:

Ladies Individuals - 1st Round (no byes) eight winners

Monday November 7th - Bradpole Club: G. Legg; S. Tompkins; H. Doble; S. Newman; E. Hooper; C. Huxter; J. Brooks; M. Pauley; J. Cake; S. Luter; V. Burt; J. Doble; A. Wiscombe; C. Lambert; V. Cozens; J. Symes

Over 58s - 1st Round (no byes) eight winners on each alley

Wednesday, November 9th - Tiger: A. Huxter; G. Brown; P. Symonds; B. Churchill; V. Burt; B. Lee; J. Brooks; A. Tozer; N. Pye; P. Scott; R. Herbert; D. Hocking; C. Langdon; C. Hopkins; D. Fox

Thursday, November 10th - Clock: D. Maunder; R. Tuck; B. Adams; T. Davis; M. Chivers; S. Gale; V. Cozens; A. Wiscombe; F. Bowditch; B. Herbert; G. Legg; L. Farnham; G. Barnes; B. Chapple

Mens Pairs - 1st Round – (28 byes) four winners

Thursday November 10th - Bridport FC: T. Cleal & A. Way; D. Fox & P. Cross; M. Gudge & D. Gudge; J. Cook & M. Symonds; N. Lee & B. Lee; R. Carlton & R. Wales; D. Alley & J. Saint; I. Pincombe & C. Potter

Mens Individuals - 1st Round (24 byes) eight winners

Friday, 11th November - West Dorset Club — M. Gurd; L. Dare; Z. Cauldwell; D. Cowburn; C. Barnes; S. Pitcher; M. Horton; H. Mills; M. Willcox; J. Sellick; B. Robinson; M. Powell; K. Groves; G. Brooks.

Sporting brains put to the test

IT'S THAT time of year once again when some of the most knowledgeable sports quiz experts in Dorset sit and ponder as they contest the prestigious Clinker Shield to be held at the Symene Sports Club on Sunday November 20th.

The event, now in its 28th year is one of the most coveted titles of it's kind, and is keenly sought after. Last year's champion's Beaminster Social Club will be defending the title once again, and having won it for the last three years, there will be plenty looking to flush them down the toilet and wipe the smiles off their faces.

However it will be a tough ask as Nigel Walters, Rodney Crabb and his son Sam are an excellent combination.

Nick Skyrme is once again the question master for the third year running, and with the event starts promptly at 7.15pm, teams are asked to arrive in good time to ensure the smooth running of the event.

The following teams have been invited to this excellent night of fun: Bradpole Club, The Mystics, Chelsea Savages, Bridport Rugby Club, SamEd + 1, Jack Tars Trio, Snorklers, Chideock Vets, Bridport Football Club, Melplash Cricket, Wattig Winkers, Broom's Bald Eagles, BriPhilPinkey, Bridport Golf Club, Balsy's Bangers, Beaminster Social Club, Mac's Masterminds.

Rivers too strong!

Bridport Indoor Bowls - *with Brian Baker*

BRIDPORT Men's team returned to Wessex League action and took a pasting from the leading Five Rivers (Salisbury) side losing 113-49 overall.

Max Dare, Keith Brooks, Brian Morgan and Ken Enticott were in contention until the end but lost 19-22. Arthur Stone, Bernard Winton, Bob Taylor and Ivor Parker found themselves up against a crack rink of youngsters and took a 9-27 beating.

At Salisbury Dave Roberts, Derek Harp, Brian Iversen and Bill Payne were having aliving nightmare as they went 0-26 down after ten ends, but they never gave up. Indeed, over the last 11 ends were only out scored 9-11 to give a final 9-37 scoreline. Chris Thorne, Brian Walsh, Brian Conisbee and Brian Rumble went down 12-27.

Joan Griffiths, Beryl Stork, Mary Marsh and Janet Tattershall secured two points for the C team in the County League with a 25-16 win over Dolphin (C). Di Loving, Chris Minas, Ann Parkins and Mary Corfield lost 16-29, giving Dolphin the four extra points for an overall win.

WEST DORSET RUGBY REPORTS with Keith Jenkin

Encouraging signs from Bridport

RECENTLY realising that, on the final Saturday in October, I had yet to watch two of my "flock" in league action, and that Puddletown were playing away, I took the road to Crewkerne to take in their game against Taunton thirds whom they easily bested by 34-7.

WIMBORNE 12 DORCHESTER 5

DORCHESTER had the stiff breeze at their backs in the first period but were unable to make it count during an error strewn half from both sides that lacked cohesion in the extreme.

It was Wimborne who opened the scoring when one of their wide runners hopefully chased a kick ahead and received the benefit of a kindly bounce that completely wrong footed the Dorchester defence.

The visitors replied in kind before the interval and their equalising unconverted try too owed something to dame fortune. The home set scrum had come under some pressure and it lost control of a heel close to its own line. The ball ran lose into the path of James Baker who touched it down unopposed.

Playing with the breeze after the break, Wimborne started positively and took the lead with a converted try. For a space they looked the more likely outfit as Dorchester struggled to cope with a couple of injury problems. They put those well and truly behind them however, buckled down and really the final quarter belonged to them as they laid siege to the Wimborne line.

The hosts defended stoutly however and would have heard the whistle for no side with very considerable relief.

Dorchester are going through a very frustrating spell at the moment. For whatever reason they are unable to take points during the periods of a game when they are in the ascendancy and therefore do tend to lose the close encounters, and have become "losing bonus point bankers". The fact that this is a phase that all sides go through at one time or another will be of scant comfort to them.

WEYMOUTH 24 SWANAGE & WAREHAM 2nd 8

THE very stiff cross wind was marginally in the faces of the home side during the first period and it was the league leaders who had the better of the early exchanges in this top of the table clash.

They imposed early pressure and turned it into points by kicking a penalty goal after 10 minutes' play.

Weymouth finally settled however and went into the lead about the end of the first quarter when, having won a lineout close to the Swanage & Wareham line, made a clean catch in the middle and mauled their way over, with Max Vallance coming up with the ball. Sheppard added the extras and, with the game being evenly contested, the scoreline stayed at 7-3 in home favour until the halfway stage.

Weymouth would have felt that they had shaded the first half but nothing was yet settled and they would have been a little concerned to see that the wind, that now was to be in their favour, was dropping away.

They did however, start the second-half in positive mode and extended their lead with a good try, scored by centre Joe Webber who cut a good line and got over from outside the twenty two.

This try remained unconverted but the home side scored another soon after to put daylight between the sides. Winger Will Quick scored this one. Having stepped his marker he showed good pace to round the cover and touch down. Sheppard's conversion kick was again accurate and the home side led 19-3 on the hour.

Their opponents were by no means done however and set up a series of attacks. The Weymouth defence coped, but conceded too many penalties, and eventually Mason was sent to the bin.

Swanage & Wareham narrowed the gap in his absence with an unconverted try but, on his return, the home side reasserted themselves. They went through the phases, protecting their possession and recycling wel.

Swanage & Wareham tapped back and flanker Harry Charles was the first to react. He gathered and touched down what was the bonus point try which, although it remained unconverted, served to take Weymouth to the top of the division.

WINCANTON 3 WEYMOUTH 2nd 53

THE Weymouth second side proved to be too strong for the side who were promoted with them at last season's end. scoring eight tries and conceding just a penalty goal in reply.

Highlight of the afternoon was the brace of tries touched down by hooker James Leach. He ran in the first from about halfway; and for the second he chipped the full-back and regathered the ball (Hookers were not allowed to do that sort of thing in my day).

He was not the only one to bag a brace. James Almond and Robert Smith also crossed the whitewash on two occasions and the try count was completed by Baudouin and Dean. Max Baudouin kicked five conversions and added a penalty goal to complete the scoring, to leave the home side facing what might just be a very long and hard season.

Not such good news for the Weymouth third side. It suffered a bit of a "sage and onion" job at home to visitors, Ellingham & Ringwood thirds 43-12.

BRIDPORT 23 SHERBORNE 2nd 18

THERE was a strong wind blowing from the sea and from one end to the other of the Brewery Field, and Bridport had it at their backs throughout the first period.

Although they enjoyed a territorial advantage for much of the first forty minutes, they made rather too many errors and the interval came with the game scoreless.

As sometimes happens, sides play better when facing the elements and this was one such case. The home side took the lead early in the second half via a Luke King penalty goal and, although Sherborne countered with a similar effort, the home back division had begun to string some meaningful threequarter moves together.

First it was Rob Leins who regained the lead for his side with an unconverted try, and when Dave Cutting ran in another soon after, Bridport were 10 points to the good with the scoreline standing at 13-3.

Issues were far from settled however. Sherborne then narrowed the gap with a penalty goal, and narrowed it still further when they touched down an unconverted try on the hour. It was necessary for the home side to respond and they did so when scrum-half George Sparkes broke and scored with 15minutes left for play. His try remained unconverted and, with just 10 minutes remaining, Sherborne tied things up at 18-18 by scoring a converted effort.

It was all to play for now and, in the final five minutes, home centre Dave Smith had both the pace and the strength to break the visitors' defensive line and touch down. It was not a day for place kickers and the try remained unconverted but it was enough, and was the bonus point try at that. Bridport held on to record a most satisfying win.

I think that Bridport's rebuilding process is proceeding. Having watched both sides recently, and Bridport's game at Ivel, I felt that they would have to improve markedly if they were to come out on top in this one. They did so and can face the rest of the season with confidence.

It was a good day for the Bridport club all round, with their second side coming out on top in their local derby game at Dorchester seconds 23-13.

WHEATSHEAF CABIN CREW 12 PUDDLETOWN 4

INITIAL exchanges gave little indication of what was to come in this Dorset & Wilts League Division Two encounter for, although Puddletown took an early lead when out-half Dovell nipped in for a try, converted by Yeatman, the home side responded immediately with a similar effort.

A rather turgid contest then ensued for much of the remainder of the half, although the visitors scored again when hooker Jeremy Michael-Beale got over. Yeatman's conversion kick was again accurate and Puddletown would have been just about satisfied with their 14-7 lead at the halfway stage.

Strong words were digested with the half-time oranges and Puddletown stretched away with a try by full back Udell within five minutes of the restart and, although Wheatsheaf did respond with a try out wide, it was to be their last effort.

Puddletown's attacks became more sustained as the second-half progressed. Udell got over twice more to complete his hat-trick.

Centre Yeatman got in on the act with a try in addition to kicking six conversions from seven attempts; and when in the final minutes, number eight Spicer made his way through some heavy traffic to complete the try count, Puddletown were out of sight.

PREVIEW

THE leagues take a rest on Saturday next and the day is devoted to cups. Both PUDDLETOWN and DORCHESTER have no involvement and are without games, although the former will be looking for a friendly.

BRIDPORT take on LYTCHETT MINSTER at home who, although in the local cup's catchment area, play their rugby in division two of the Hampshire League, and are a side about whom I, for one, know very little. The considerable journey could well decide the winners of this one.

WEYMOUTH travel to WARMINSTER, opponents with whom they are well acquainted and, if they field a representative side, should come back from there with a win

As to the second sides, both seconds and thirds of the Dorchester and Weymouth clubs are without fixtures, while Bridport seconds will, I suspect, find the going hard against a resurgent Crewkerne outfit. Importantly too, as it is now officially winter time, the games will start earlier, probably at 2.30pm, initially anyway, while cup games will likely start at 2.15pm.

Fixtures 5th November

Bridport v Lytchett Minster (Cup) KO 2.15; Bridport 2nd v Crewkerne KO 2.30; Crewkerne v Bridport 2nd (away); Honiton v Tiverton Cup (away) Friday evening; Honiton 2nd v Torquay 3rd KO 2.30; Puddletown v Pool Game; Sidmouth v Paignton (away) Devon Senior Cup; Sidmouth 2nd v Torquay 2nd; Sidmouth 3rd v Torrington 2nd (away) Weymouth v Warminster (Cup) (away) KO 2.15.

Rugby extras: Weymouth visit Weymouth!

Weymouth visit Weymouth!

WHILST visiting New Zealand for the Rugby World Cup recently, members of Weymouth Rugby Football Club took the opportunity to visit their namesakes in Manukau City, Auckland prior to attending the final between New Zealand and France later that day.

Arthur Fisher, John Parker and ex Weymouth player and chairman Willie Wildash, now the current President of the RFU, and his wife Mary also met with Ben Parker who was part of the successful British Army team that won the first ever International Defence Rugby Competition (IDRC) held in Australia and New Zealand by defeating Australian Services 62-17 in the final the day before.

Ben is a member of WRFC and plays for the club when home on leave, and was part of the team that battled their way to the having defeated the Samoan Police, the French Combined Forces and the Tongan Defence Services on their way; some seriously tough matches.

The UK visitors wanted to meet old friends that they got to know when the antipodeans visited them during a tour of England in 1992.

They received a very warm welcome when they were met by Weymouth Club President Joe Faliu who was accompanied by a number of club members including some members of the original 1992 touring party. They enjoyed some tremendous hospitality and were given a guided tour of the club's facilities. Club shirts were exchanged; both clubs wear light and dark blue shirts.

Weymouth NZ, formed in 1970 are planning to visit England and their British namesakes again in 2015 when the RWC and the IRDC will be held.

North Dorset U14 12 Weymouth 15

WEYMOUTH got away to best of possible starts with a kick and chase try by Jonathan Young.

North Dorset fought straight back and were camped out on Weymouth's five metre line for a number of scrums before Greg Harris forced over for a try that was converted to give the home team a lead of 7-5.

The game became scrappy with handling mistakes from both sides and a struggling Weymouth scrum penalised by a second try for the hosts following a fine run from Hector Neale giving the home team a lead of 12-5 at the break.

Weymouth reorganised at half-time and started to get the ball to their backs resulting in a try from Calen Ryan taking the ball from his own 22 outpacing the opposition to bring the score back to a nail biting 12-10.

Good pressure from a revitalised Weymouth pack driven by Nat Baynham-Jones gave them territorial advantage. The match was decided when Toby de Kretser caught a mis-directed kick and ran it back in for the winning try.

Under 9s

TWO matches against the Swans saw great victories for Weymouth.

The first game showed the teams attacking flair with a 9-2 win. Four of the tries were scored by Toby, with some amazing runs. It also saw Joules Hicks score his first try for the club since joining only a month ago.

The second match saw their defensive skills, where Weymouth were under pressure for long periods but still won 2-0. Man-of-the-Match was Hicks.

■ **MAGIC**: Weymouth Ladies with their new t-shirts sponsored by Weyline Taxis.

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■ **GREAT FUN**: Members of all the Cub packs with the WRFC coaches and officials.

Weymouth & Portlan Dist Cub Scouts Tag Rugby Tournament

WHILST Wales were struggling against France in the semi final of the Rugby World Cup, Weymouth and Portland Cub Scouts were having their own Tag Rugby Tournament at the invitation of Weymouth Rugby Football Club.

Six Cub packs took part representing North, South, East, West, Upwey and Chesil Scout Groups in warm sunshine, unlike the June tournament played in pouring rain on the beach.

Enthusiasm and skill from all the teams was in abundance thanks to the coaching staff at WRFC with Chesil

With the expertise and guidance from the coaching staff at WRFC the games progressed with enthusiasm and skill from all the teams taking part.

The winners were Chesil Dynamites who won all four games, with South Jolly Jail the runners-up with three wins. Barbarians, Bulldozers and East Shadow all won one game.

The trophy and certificates were presented by the President of the Rugby Club, Des Quick.

Assistant District Commissioner Cub Section, Maureen Adams would like to convey the thanks of all the cubs taking part taking and to Glyn Arnold and Chris Davis , the coaches and referees and all at WRFC who gave their time to make this such a fun and exciting event for the Cubs.

Ladies get Weyline sponsorship

WEYMOUTH RFC ladies team are going from strength to strength with the help and support of Weyline Taxis who have sponsored their t-shirts, but are looking for additional players of all ages to join.

Everybody is welcome at the training sessions which take place on a Wednesday evening 1830 - 2000 and Sundays 1230 - 1400.

Additional info can be obtained from Nathan Parker on 07818-055385 who besides thanking Weyline Taxis for their support is encouraging ladies to come and get fit and have some fun.

FOOTBALL ROUND-UP

with Stuart Broom

Magpies bring Angels down to earth

Magpies throw away two goal lead

Havant & Waterlooville 4 Dorchester Town 2 - Att: 539

IT LOOKED like Dorchester Town had put their poor display in the defeat at home to Boreham Wood to bed as they raced into a two goal lead in the first 15 minutes at Westleigh Park on Tuesday.

However the Hawks hit back after the interval to score four times to send Dorchester to their seventh defeat in the last eight matches which led to manager Ashley Vickers being sacked two days later.

Despite receiving chairman Shaun Hearn's vote of confidence three weeks earlier, the results suggested that Vickers needed to reverse the losing spiral quickly, and it appeared that his side had finally found the winning formula as Gary Bowles and Ben Dickenson gave them a great start.

Ryan Moss went close from Nick Crittenden's cross with a header that flew past the far post, before Bowles struck on eight minutes; Crittenden's corner was headed on and Bowles applied the finishing touch at the far post.

Steven Ramsay forced Alan Walker-Harris into pushing his 20-yard shot around the post, before Dickenson doubled the Magpies advantage when he turned and drove a low shot just inside the near post after cutting in from the right and running along the top of the penalty area.

Little was seen of the Hawks attack in the first-half, and Crittenden almost added a third on halftime but his volley from Dickenson's cross flew wide of the goal.

The hosts changed things around at the break and came out of the blocks quickly and pulled a goal back within four minutes of the restart. Walker-Harris failed to hold Perry Ryan's header which he could only push onto the post, and Ollie Palmer was on hand to thump home the rebound. Just before the hour he levelled the score with a downward header from another Sammy Igoe cross.

This had Dorchester reeleing and on 65 minutes the Hawks took the lead when Igoe was on hand to net after Walker-Harris had palmed Scott Jones' angled shot into his path.

Havant continued to lay siege on the visitor's goal and they made the game safe seven minutes from full-time when Ryan Woodford swept home Igoe's pass from the edge of the box.

Dorchester Town 3 Tonbridge Angels 1 - Att: 417

DORCHESTER Town players put the stress of the previous few days behind them and got back to winning ways under the direction of caretaker manager Phil Simkin.

With Ashley Vickers having been relieved of his duties less than 48 hours earlier, Simkin and captain Mark Jermyn had been tasked with leading the Magpies into Saturday's home match with Tonbridge Angels.

In fact Jermyn who had been sidelined for eight weeks with a nasty cruciate knee injury, passed a late fitness test to take his place on the field alongside Nathan Walker in the centre of defence, whilst he was replaced in the dugout by former Terra Gary Borthwick.

The game started at a high tempo with the Angels, with a record for scoring and conceding goals, taking the initiative with Kayne McLaggon testing Magpies keeper Alan Walker-Harris early on with a 20-yard shot which he parried.

However it was Ben Dickenson playing through the middle with Ryan Moss who put the home side ahead after eight minutes with a stupendous goal. Picking the ball up on the halfway line, he moved forward before crashing a terrific 35-yard shot past Angel's keeper Lee Worgan who was almost rooted to the spot.

Four minutes later he was involved in Dorchester's second goal, his corner kick being headed home by Moss from close range.

Tonbridge however were not prepared to lie down, and they twice struck the outside of the woodwork as they went looking to reduce the deficit; McLaggon and Frannie Collin the two unlucky players.

However McLaggon was rewarded for his efforts on 26 minutes when he blasted his shot beyond the advancing Walker-Harris after he had been put in on goal by Collin.

Walker-Harris who was later named Man-of-the-Match then produced two excellent saves both from Collin to allow the Magpies to go in at the interval in the lead.

Despite having to survive a barrage of long throws from one of the Angels players, Dorchester kept their opponents at bay as they pressed for an equaliser, although they had a lucky let off on 76 minutes when Lee Browning somehow struck the post from close in when it looked easier to score, and seven minutes later when he did get it right, Walker-Harris made a superb save from him.

Moss made it a rewarding start for Simkin a minute from time when he smashed home the rebound after Dickenson's shot had come back off the crossbar.

Reed strike keeps Terras run going

Weymouth 1 Oxford City 0 - Att: 622

WEYMOUTH continued their recent good form with a battling win over fourth placed Oxford City on Tuesday with a 10th minute goal from Stephen Reed.

The Terras midfielder secured all three Evo-Stick Souther Premier Division points with a 25-yard free-kick that took a deflection off the wall to beat City's 'keeper Jason Mooney.

Weymouth had the better of the opening exchanges and Sam Poole had two chances after Reed's strike but first shot straight at Mooney before firing over from Reed's corner just after.

City looked anything but title contenders and the nearest they came was in first haldf added time when Nick Jordan playing his first game for the Terras since returning on loan from Dorchester Town due to Tom Manley's unavailability, raced off his line to prevent Steve Basham getting a shot in.

However they had a great chance within a minute of the restart, but once again Jordan thwarted them. This time he smothered the ball at Felipe Barcelos' feet after outwitting him when Ben Gerring failed to cut out a long punt forward.

Warren Byerley might have sealed the match for the home side but Mooney pushed his shot away after the striker had been set up by sub Jamie Beasley.

In an unusual substitution City withdrew Jamie Heapy for sub 'keeper Mark Scott, and pushed Mooney into the striker role, but it made no difference as Weymouth held out for the points without too much trouble.

Wells complete double with second half brace

Bridport 2 Wells City 4 - Att: 87

WELLS City completed the double over Bridport when they scored twice in the second half for victory after the Bees had equalised twice in the first-half.

Although beaten 6-2 in Somerset early on in the season, manager Trevor Senior felt the score did not reflect the game, and was looking to put that right at St Mary's Field.

Bridport opened brightly and Sam Charles hit the post inside two minutes before Tom Richardson saw his header saved, but Wells went ahead with their first attack through Jamie Howson.

Bridport hit back to equalise through Richardson who glanced home Dan Wise's cross, and then laid siege to the visitor's goal forcing six corners in quick succession, but it was Wells that went back in front five minutes before the break with only their second chance of the game.

Joe Charles' miscued a clearing header and only succeeded in playing the ball back into the middle of the goal where Jake Brown scored from 12 yards.

Once again Bridport responded and when Jamie Morgan found Matt Condliffe on the opposite flank with a great ball, the wingback in turn supplied the perfect cross for Sam Charles to score with a downward header.

Wells keeper Owen Dunn denied both Chris Senior and Condliffe from the rebound with good saves early in the second half before the visitors went ahead again with Brown's second.

They secured the point's midway through the half when Tom Manning was set free after a Bridport attack broke down, and although Darren Lock hit the crossbar late on, Wells completed the double.

Senior said afterwards: "I thought the first-half was as well as we have played all season and we knocked it around well, but once again we have conceded two to go in at 2-2. Both goals were unfortunate; the first was a good goal but from their first attack, and the second Joe Charles didn't clear it as well as he might have done and their guy finished it off, but we scored two to level it up at the break.

"Then having gone 3-2 behind in the second half we were a bit naive, and when Sam Charles lost the ball when it was played up to him we were already in support of him and had gone beyond. As a result there was big hole in the middle and they ran through to score.

"We could learn a lesson from Wells, because when they get their noses in front, and I have played then four times, they are difficult to break down. They get their two banks of four or nine men behind the ball

"We deserved to win the game, but the goals we conceded were avoidable, but we learned from Tuesday to keep our shape better and that stood us in good stead.

Senior has been linked with the vacant manager's job at Dorchester Town following Ashley Vickers sacking last week.

The former Reading striker started his career at the Magpies, and is a favourite with many to become at least part of the management team at The Avenue, but Senior will not be drawn of the subject.

"I've been here before, and every time the jobs available my names been mentioned, but I don't wish to comment at the moment."

■ **FULL STRETCH**: BRIDPORT goalkeeper Sam Filkins was in fine form in the 3-2 win over Brislington.

Bees show character to take the points

Bridport 3 Brislington 2 - Att: 114

BRIDPORT recovered from a two goal deficit to win all three points with a Sam Charles goal, his second of the game, just two minutes from normal time.

The result will be a huge fillip for both manager Trevor Senior and his players who despite some good performances have found the in the Toolstation Western League Premier Division errors are punished, and you must take your chances.

Once again the Bees conceded two goals which could have been avoided, but on this occasion they were able to take three points which puts daylight between them and the bottom two.

Brislington took the lead on seven minutes when the unmarked Jason Hughes had time to pick his spot to head the visitors into the lead from a corner. They doubled their advantage on 25 minutes when Filkins inexplicably let a Mike Rimmer shot slip through his hands and over the line.

Bridport however soon hit back to reduce the deficit following a good four man move that saw Dan Wise put Jamie Morgan in just inside the right hand corner of the penalty box. His low angled drive beat keeper Chris Humphries allowing Sam Charles to slide in and nudge it home.

This gave the Bees confidence and Tom Richardson was unlucky with a superb effort. Receiving the ball on the left corner of the penalty area he turned inside and bent his shot round a defender and Humphries but the ball just went wide of the far post. Then Shane Evans was denied by an excellent acrobatic save from Humphries who tipped his thumping 12-yard header from Wise's corner over the angle of the goal frame.

Bridport had the lion's share of play in the second half and equalised just after the hour when they were awarded a penalty for a handling infringement following an Evans shot and Wise confidently sent the keeper the wrong way from the spot.

Bridport were indebted to Filkins for keeping them level with two excellent saves before sub Michael Hailu almost scored on his debut with four minutes remaining.

Darren Watts who had replaced Morgan on the hour hit a thunderous drive from 30-yards that smacked against the crossbar before bouncing down and hitting Humphries on the back. The ball rolled across the face of the goal where Hialu sidefooted the ball towards goal only for a defender to produce a superb sliding clearance to put the ball for a corner.

However Bridport got the winner they deserved for their endeavour just two minutes from time when a long ball from Joe Charles put his brother Sam in behind the Briz defence and he deftly lobbed the advancing Humphries to score in the corner.

Bridport U12 3 Weymouth 3

BRIDPORT showed why they remain unbeaten this season by recovering from a 1-3 deficit to force a draw with Weymouth.

Despite having the better of the play and taking the lead through Freddy Valinski, the home team found themselves 1-2 down at the interval.

An own goal increased the visitors lead, but instead of folding, Bridport hit back with a series of attacks resulting in two outstanding goals from Callan Laydon to draw level. Bridport felt they were denied a penalty when the tricky Valinski was bundled over and with Sam Handyside also a threat, Weymouth were glad to return home with a point.

Bees looking for the final ball

Parley 2 Bridport Reserves 1

ONCE again Bridport Reserves came away with nothing in a game they deserved something.

Joint manager Steve Crabb said: "So often this season we have just failed to turn our superiority into wins, which is disappointing. Defensively we are very solid and don't concede too many, whilst our strikers work very hard without success.

"I think our problem stems from our decision making, and choosing the wrong option in the final third, and that is something we need to address because we are playing some good football without getting results."

He added: "I feel sorry for Jamie Fry because he has been on the losing side three times in a row now and hasn't made a mistake.

"Our defenders Paul Fellows, Ashley Clarke and Adam Stordy were very solid and worked hard, and restricted Parley to their two chances, both of which they took very well, and one other shot which Jamie dealt well with.

"We had 60 per cent of the possession on Saturday yet lost. We've set our sights high this season after a good one last year, but perhaps we should accept sometimes that a draw is a good result."

Parley took the lead when Michael Laronde headed home from a good cross midway through the first half, although Tristan Gale was unlucky with a 30-yard shot at goal with the keeper out of position that was kicked off the line.

Adam Steele restored parity though on the hour, before Gale was unlucky with a shot that brought a great save from the Parley gloveman.

The hosts won the game however with a fabulous goal from Tobias Holmes that would grace almost any ground. Collecting the ball on the halfway line, he backheeled it and took the return before playing a couple of one-two's as he skipped through the Bees defence to fire past Fry.

Crabb said: "It was a great goal, but really only their second chance on goal which is disappointing. I'm convinced our luck will change soon however because we are playing good football."

■ **BRIDPORT Third's produced the result of the day by beating 11 Signal Regiment FC 3-2.**

The soldiers from Blandford Army Camp had won all their six Dorset League Division Two matches this season, but a brace from Jack Scovell and one from Chris Symes destroyed that record.

■ **ALL SQUARE**: Dan Wise (left) send Brislington 'keeper Chris Humphries the wrong way and Bridport are level at 2-2 in Saturday's match at St Mary's. ***Photos by ROB QUINCEY SportPix/facebook***

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Hearn ponders replacement after Vickers is fired

By Stuart Broom

DORCHESTER Town Chairman Shaun Hearn finally put an end to Ashley Vickers' near two year tenure as manager when he sacked him following a meeting last Thursday afternoon in what he described as 'the hardest decision I have had to make.'

However after a run of seven defeats in the last eight games, Hearn felt he had no option to relieve the former player of his duties.

A statement, released on the club's behalf by secretary David Martin reads: "Following a meeting with the directors it has been mutually agreed that Ashley Vickers will leave the post of team manager with immediate effect.

"Phil Simkin and Mark Jermyn have been asked to take charge of Thursday night training and the match against Tonbridge on Saturday.

"The board of directors would like to thank Ashley for the work he has done in the last two years.

"He has approached the job with tremendous enthusiasm and passion always wearing his heart on his sleeve.

"The board persuaded Ashley to take on the role at a difficult time, when he was not necessarily looking for a role in football management and the board appreciate his efforts working within a tight budget.

"However, in a results business, the run of poor results was having an impact on all sources of income.

"The board is sure that, with a little more luck, Ashley will be a very successful manager elsewhere one day."

The announcement sparked a flurry of enquiries from prospective candidates for the vacant post, and the board held a meeting before Saturday's match to discuss the situation.

It is reported that Hearn expects to make a decision in the next two weeks once the board have had time to sift through the list which is reputed to number 15.

As a result of the decision first-team coach Andy Harris, who was appointed by his close friend Vickers, has also left the club.

In the meantime assistant manager Simkin and first team captain Jermyn took charge of the home match against Tonbridge Angels and came away with a 3-1 victory with two goals from Ryan Moss and a thunderbolt from Ben Dickenson.

Jermyn passed a late fitness test which allowed him to return to the team for his first game in eight weeks following a cruciate knee injury.

"I felt that if there was any way that Jem could play, I wanted him out there. He is an inspiration and whilst we didn't want to aggravate the injury by returning too early, he was happy that he was fit, and he played a major part in the win," said Simkin, who also changed Dickenson's role by playing him up front with Moss rather than in his normal role wide left, and it worked well.

"Ben is very quick and a strong lad, and I have felt that with him playing on the defender's shoulder he would get goals, which he proved today.

"He has surprised the keeper I think because he has no real back lift, and I think the ball was past him before he realised."

Simkin was also full of praise for keeper Alan Walker-Harris. "He was absolutely superb. They are an attacking side; they score and concede a lot of goals; and in the second-half they threw everything at us.

"They have a lad with a massive long throw and he was just launching them right into the middle of the danger area, and beyond, and Alan was not only very brave but did a superb job shot stopping as well.

"I have to praise all the lads to be fair because in that situation they put their bodies on the line, and despite all the upheaval and the disappointment of Ash being sacked, they gave everything.

"It goes without saying I was very sad to see Ash go, as we all were. We have great admiration for the way he has gone about the job and he had built up a great rapport with the players and staff."

Simkin is a big favourite with many fans to take over the manager's role, but he would not be drawn on the situation.

"Anybody would obviously be interested in a job at this level, but I will carry on from day to day and do what the club require of me.

"There is a lot of things that need to be dealt with in the mean time which I am attending to."

■ TEMPORARY CHARGE: Phil Simkin (above) and Mark Jermyn have been appointed as joint-caretaker managers.

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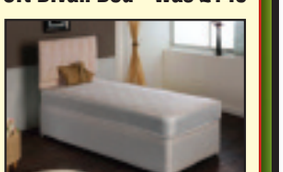
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